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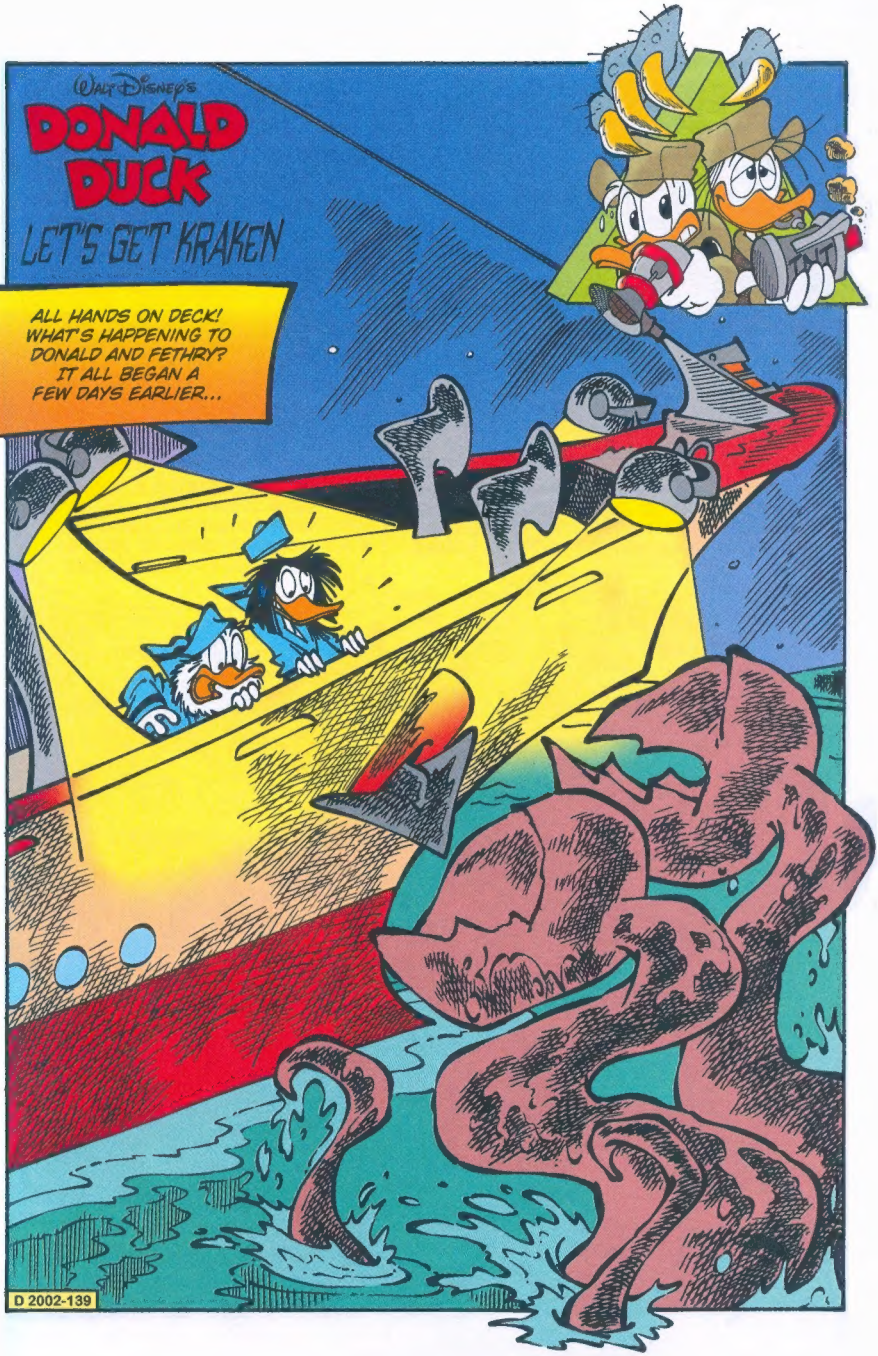
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ALL HANDS ON DECK! WHAT'S HAPPENING TO DONALD AND FETHRY? IT ALL BEGAN A FEW DAYS EARLIER...
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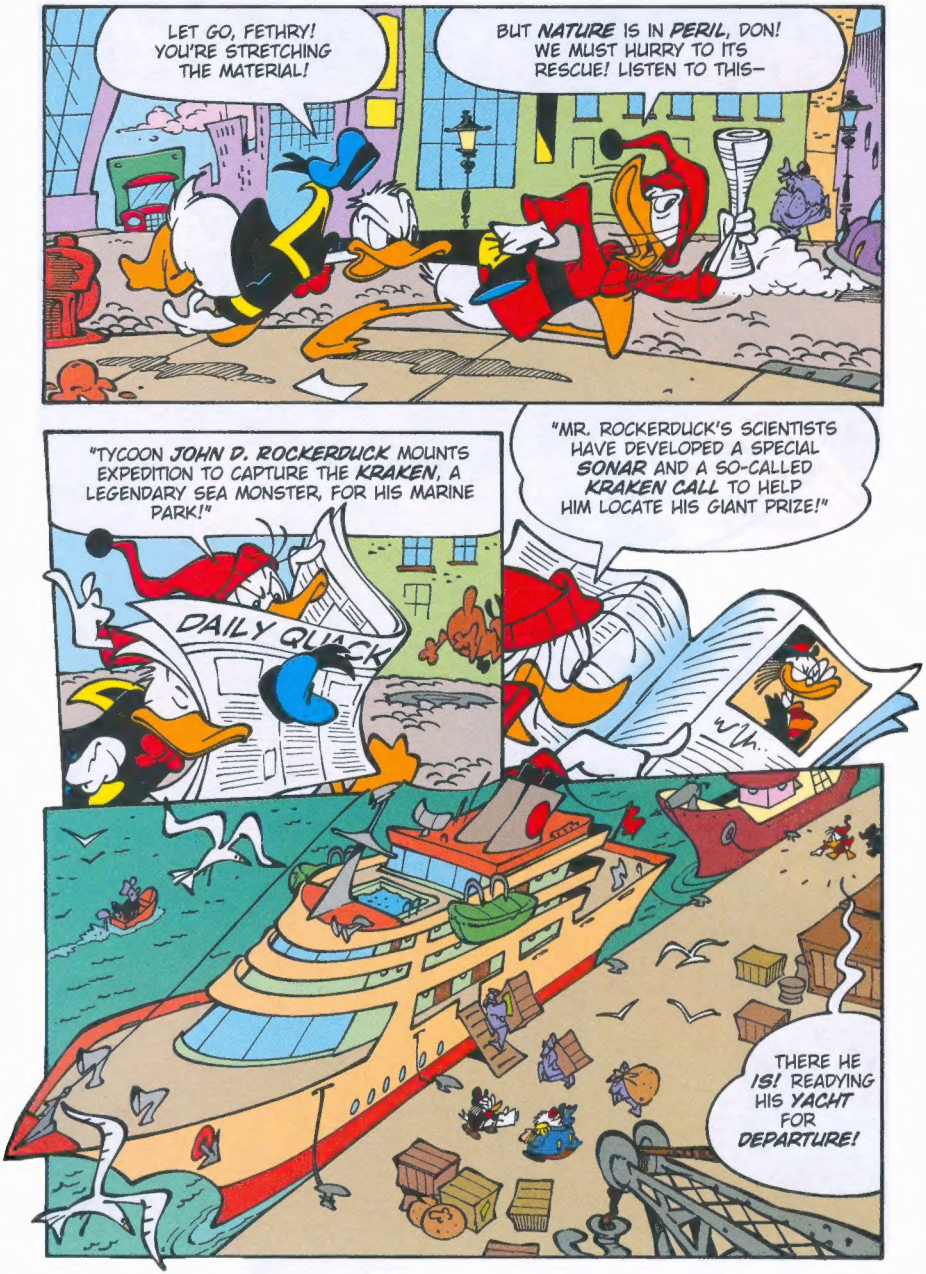
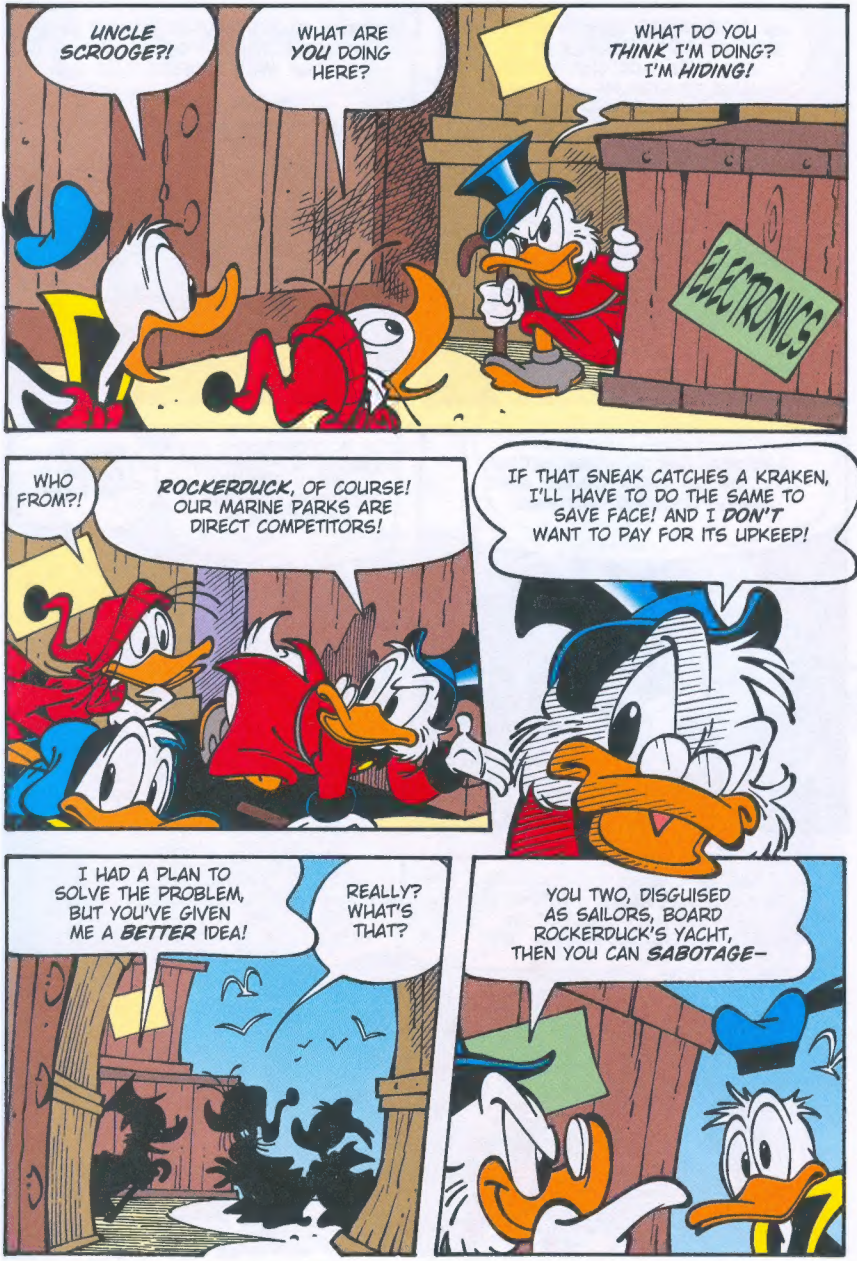
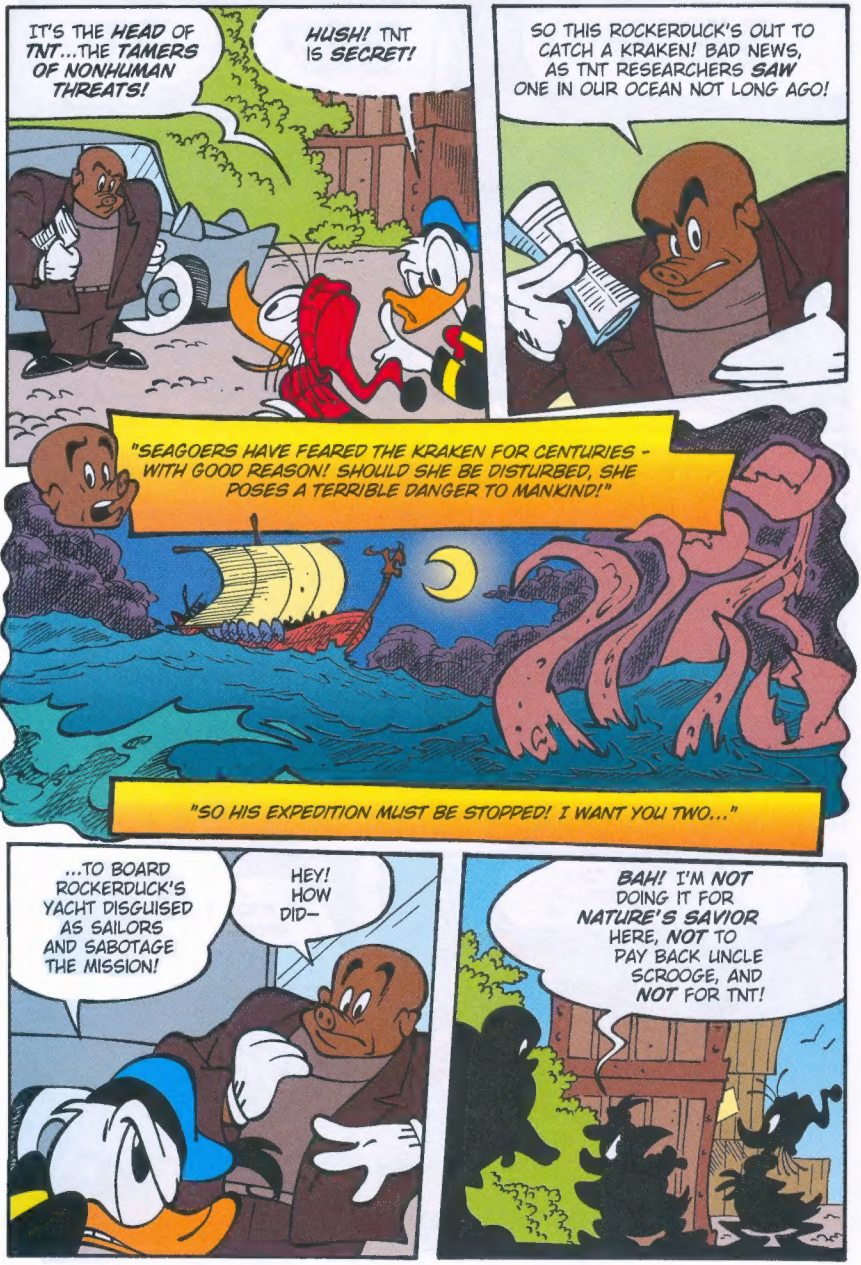
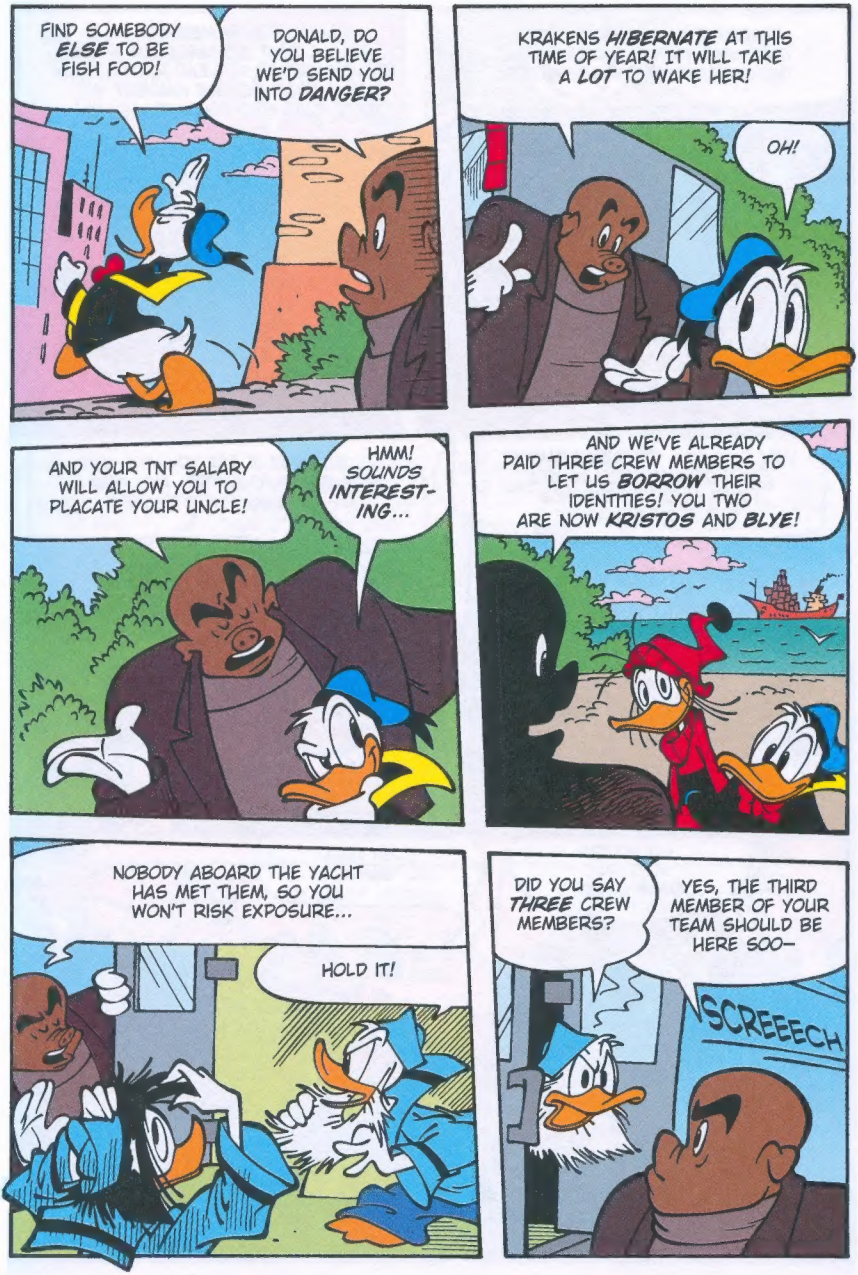

LET GO, FETHRY! YOU'RE STRETCHING THE MATERIAL!
BUT NATURE IS IN PERIL, DON! WE MUST HURRY TO ITS RESCUE! LISTEN TO THIS—
"TYCOON JOHN D. ROCKERDUCK MOUNTS EXPEDITION TO CAPTURE THE KRAKEN, A LEGENDARY SEA MONSTER, FOR HIS MARINE PARK!"
DAILY QUACK
"MR. ROCKERDUCK'S SCIENTISTS HAVE DEVELOPED A SPECIAL SONAR AND A SO-CALLED KRAKEN CALL TO HELP HIM LOCATE HIS GIANT PRIZE!"
Uh...
THERE HE IS! READYING HIS YACHT FOR DEPARTURE!

MR. ROCKERDUCK MUSTN'T CAPTURE THAT MAGNIFICENT CREATURE, DON! WE HAVE TO STEP IN!
OH, PLEASE!
IF THAT "MAGNIFICENT CREATURE" EVEN EXISTS...WHICH I DOUBT...HE'LL VAMOOSE WHEN HE SEES THAT SHIP!
WRONG!
A KRAKEN HAS ONLY ONE NATURAL ENEMY, THE SPERM WHALE! SHE'D NEVER FEAR TINY HUMANS!
DISGUISED AS SAILORS, WE'LL JOIN MR. ROCKERDUCK'S QUEST! SABOTAGE IT...
AND GET EATEN IF WE FAIL?
THIS ARTICLE SAYS THE KRAKEN IS A CARNIVOROUS SQUID-CRAB BIGGER THAN A TANK! I'M ABSOLUTELY NOT DOING THIS!
YOU ABSOLUTELY ARE!

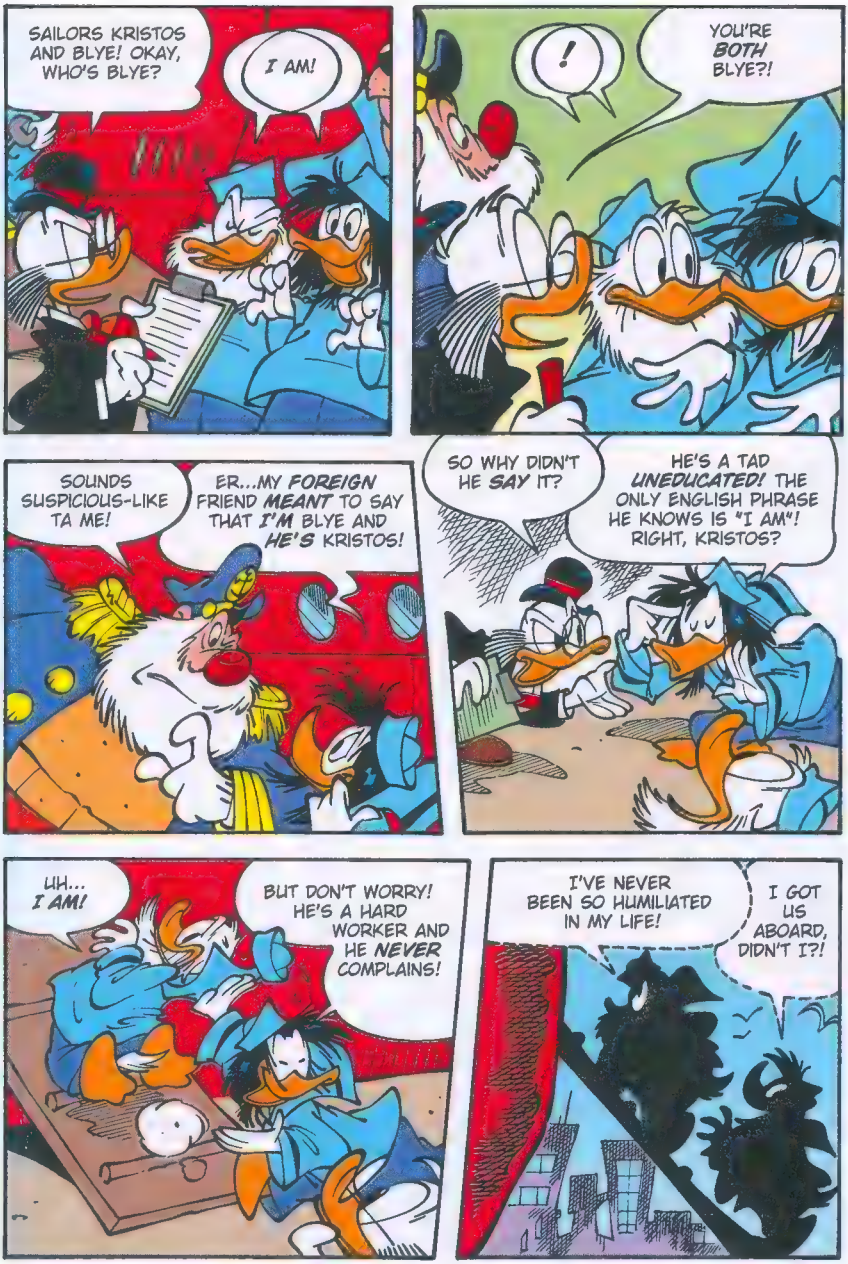

UNCLE SCROOGE?!
WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?
WHAT DO YOU THINK I'M DOING? I'M HIDING!
ELECTRONICS
WHO FROM?!
ROCKERDUCK, OF COURSE! OUR MARINE PARKS ARE DIRECT COMPETITORS!
IF THAT SNEAK CATCHES A KRAKEN, I'LL HAVE TO DO THE SAME TO SAVE FACE! AND I DON'T WANT TO PAY FOR ITS UPKEEP!
I HAD A PLAN TO SOLVE THE PROBLEM, BUT YOU'VE GIVEN ME A BETTER IDEA!
REALLY? WHAT'S THAT?
YOU TWO, DISGUISED AS SAILORS, BOARD ROCKERDUCK'S YACHT, THEN YOU CAN SABOTAGE–

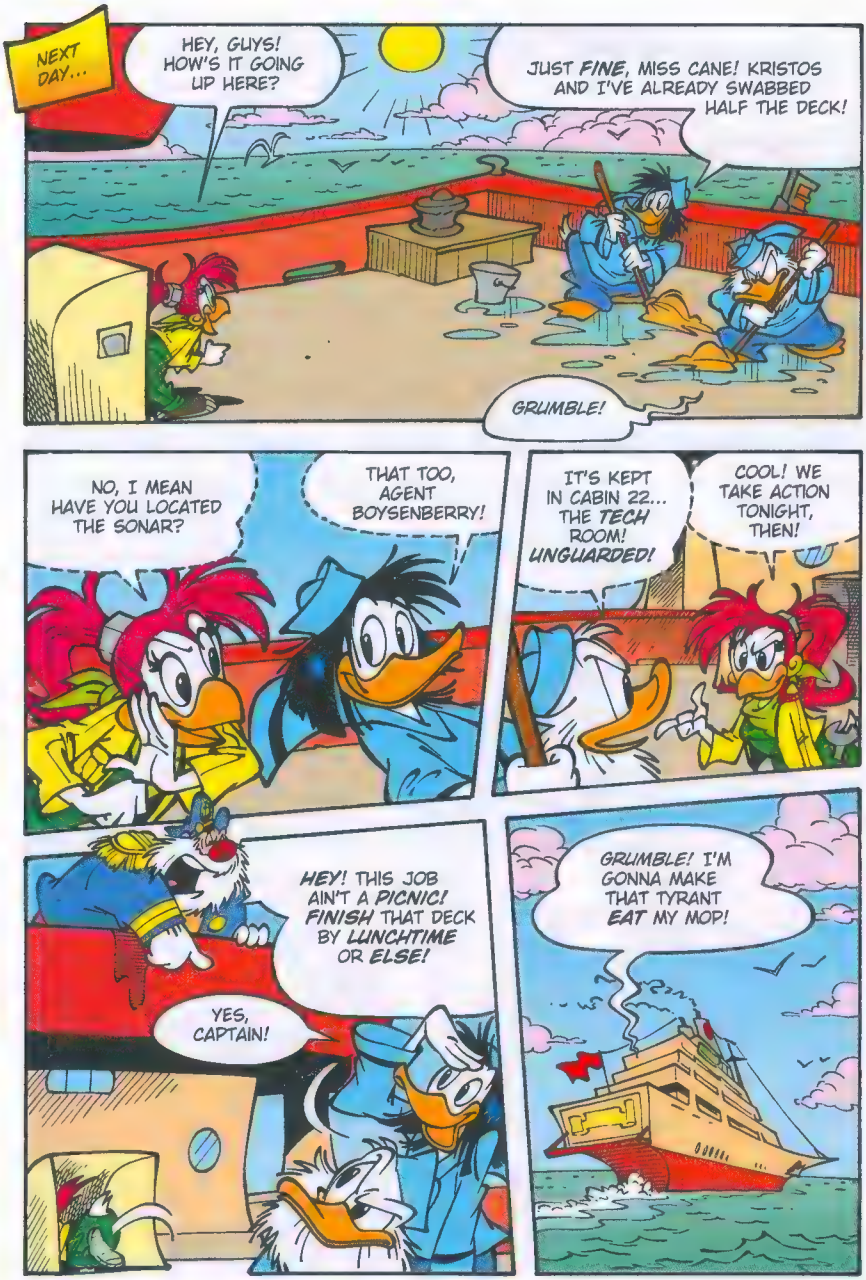
NOT AGAIN! LOOK, THERE'S NO WAY I'M DOING THAT!
!
BUT, DONALD! THIS IS OUR CHANCE TO–
NO MEANS NO! I'M GONE!
HEY! YOU OWE ME MONEY! I CAN HAVE YOU JAILED IF YOU WON'T DO AS I SAY!
SORRY! CAN'T HEAR YOU!
HA! THE DAY I TAKE A JOB LIKE THAT...
IS TODAY, AGENT DONALD!

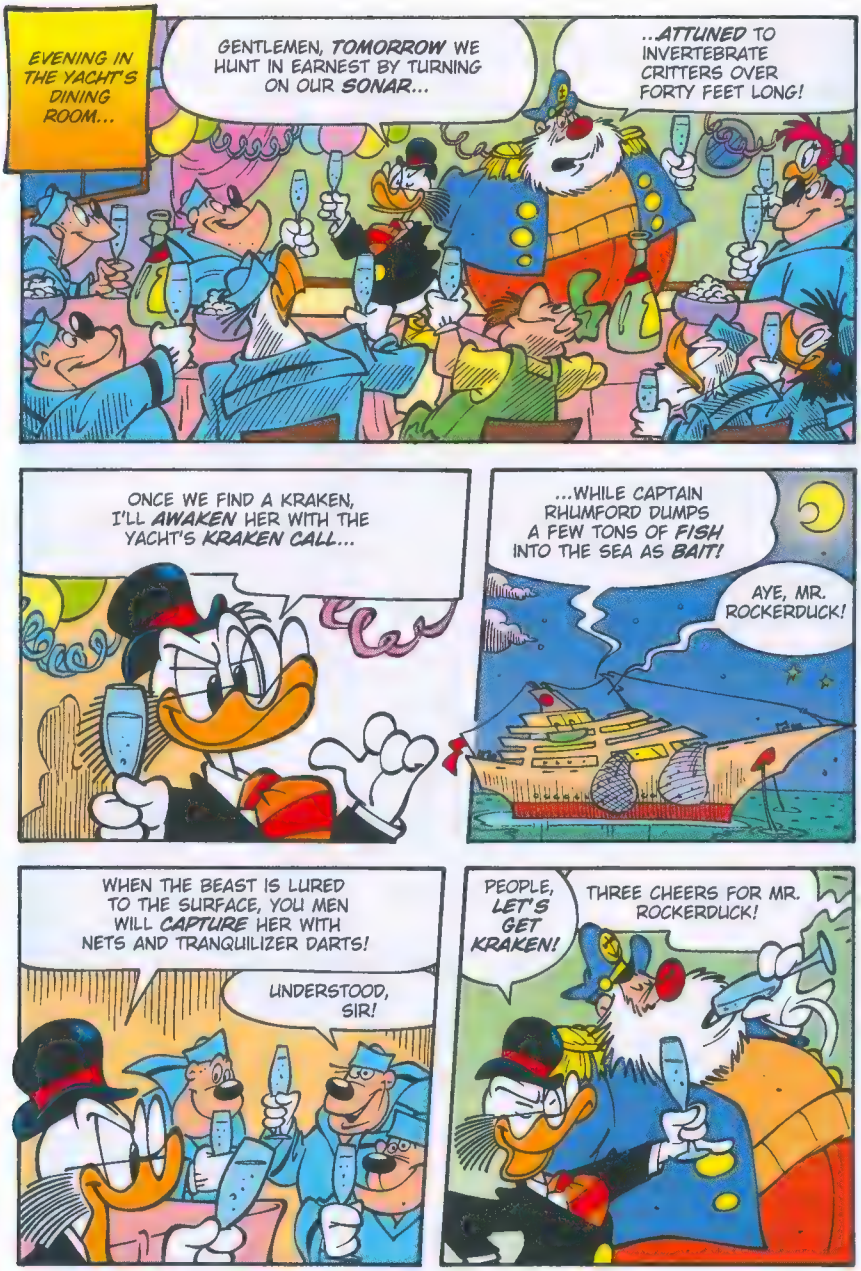

IT'S THE HEAD OF TNT...THE TAMERS OF NONHUMAN THREATS!
HUSH! TNT IS SECRET!
SO THIS ROCKERDUCK'S OUT TO CATCH A KRAKEN! BAD NEWS, AS TNT RESEARCHERS SAW ONE IN OUR OCEAN NOT LONG AGO!
"SEAGOERS HAVE FEARED THE KRAKEN FOR CENTURIES - WITH GOOD REASON! SHOULD SHE BE DISTURBED, SHE POSES A TERRIBLE DANGER TO MANKIND!"
"SO HIS EXPEDITION MUST BE STOPPED! I WANT YOU TWO..."
...TO BOARD ROCKERDUCK'S YACHT DISGUISED AS SAILORS AND SABOTAGE THE MISSION!
HEY! HOW DID—
BAH! I'M NOT DOING IT FOR NATURE'S SAVIOR HERE, NOT TO PAY BACK UNCLE SCROOGE, AND NOT FOR TNT!


FIND SOMEBODY ELSE TO BE FISH FOOD!
DONALD, DO YOU BELIEVE WE'D SEND YOU INTO DANGER?
KRAKENS HIBERNATE AT THIS TIME OF YEAR! IT WILL TAKE A LOT TO WAKE HER!
OH!
AND YOUR TNT SALARY WILL ALLOW YOU TO PLACATE YOUR UNCLE!
HMM! SOUNDS INTEREST-ING...
AND WE'VE ALREADY PAID THREE CREW MEMBERS TO LET US BORROW THEIR IDENTITIES! YOU TWO ARE NOW KRISTOS AND BLYE!
NOBODY ABOARD THE YACHT HAS MET THEM, SO YOU WON'T RISK EXPOSURE...
HOLD IT!
DID YOU SAY THREE CREW MEMBERS?
YES, THE THIRD MEMBER OF YOUR TEAM SHOULD BE HERE SOO—
SCREEECH

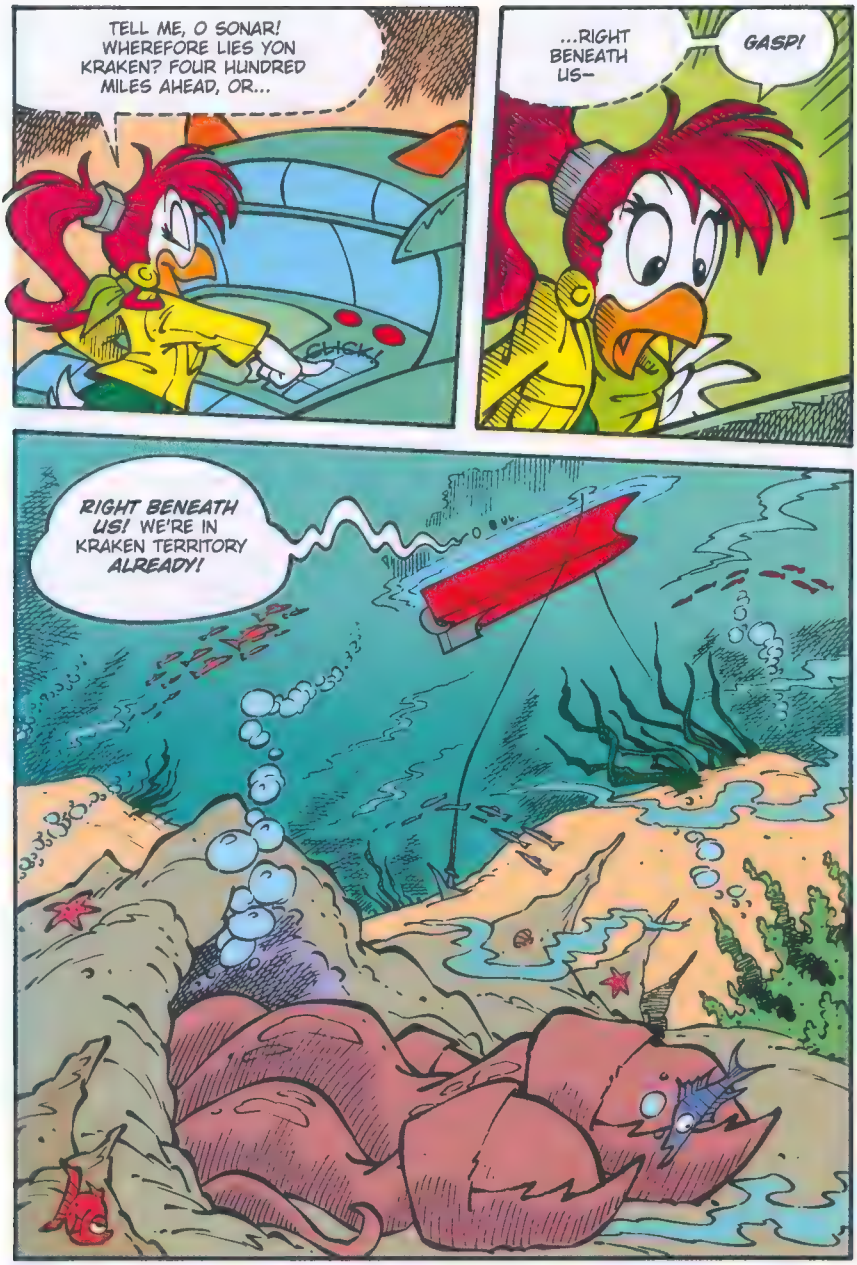
SORRY I'M LATE, HEAD! TECH GUYS HAD TROUBLE CALIBRATING THE SCRAMBLER'S TRANSMITTER!
AGENT BOYSENBERRY WILL INSTALL THAT SCRAMBLER IN THE YACHT'S SONAR TO LEAD ROCKERDUCK ON A WILD GOOSE CHASE! WE HOPE THAT WILL DISCOURAGE HIM!
YOU TWO WILL TROUBLESHOOT FOR BOYSENBERRY, AS SHE HAS LIMITED EXPERIENCE GOING ON MISSIONS!
SO NOW WE'RE BABYSITTERS?!
IT'LL BE FUN! I GET TO HANG OUT WITH YOU TWO CUTIES, AND YOU GET TO HANG OUT WITH ME!
HRMPH!
SO YOU'RE MECHANIC KAREN CANE...
JUST CALL ME "SUGAR"!


SAILORS KRISTOS AND BLYE! OKAY, WHO'S BLYE?
I AM!
!
YOU'RE BOTH BLYE?!
SOUNDS SUSPICIOUS-LIKE TA ME!
ER...MY FOREIGN FRIEND MEANT TO SAY THAT I'M BLYE AND HE'S KRISTOS!
SO WHY DIDN'T HE SAY IT?
HE'S A TAD UNEDUCATED! THE ONLY ENGLISH PHRASE HE KNOWS IS "I AM"! RIGHT, KRISTOS?
UH... I AM!
BUT DON'T WORRY! HE'S A HARD WORKER AND HE NEVER COMPLAINS!
I'VE NEVER BEEN SO HUMILIATED IN MY LIFE!
I GOT US ABOARD, DIDN'T I?!


NEXT DAY...
HEY, GUYS! HOW'S IT GOING UP HERE?
JUST FINE, MISS CANE! KRISTOS AND I'VE ALREADY SWABBED HALF THE DECK!
GRUMBLE!
NO, I MEAN HAVE YOU LOCATED THE SONAR?
THAT TOO, AGENT BOYSENBERRY!
IT'S KEPT IN CABIN 22... THE TECH ROOM! UNGUARDED!
COOL! WE TAKE ACTION TONIGHT, THEN!
HEY! THIS JOB AIN'T A PICNIC! FINISH THAT DECK BY LUNCHTIME OR ELSE!
YES, CAPTAIN!
GRUMBLE! I'M GONNA MAKE THAT TYRANT EAT MY MOP!


EVENING IN THE YACHT'S DINING ROOM...
GENTLEMEN, TOMORROW WE HUNT IN EARNEST BY TURNING ON OUR SONAR...
...ATTUNED TO INVERTEBRATE CRITTERS OVER FORTY FEET LONG!
ONCE WE FIND A KRAKEN, I'LL AWAKEN HER WITH THE YACHT'S KRAKEN CALL...
...WHILE CAPTAIN RHUMFORD DUMPS A FEW TONS OF FISH INTO THE SEA AS BAIT!
AYE, MR. ROCKERDUCK!
WHEN THE BEAST IS LURED TO THE SURFACE, YOU MEN WILL CAPTURE HER WITH NETS AND TRANQUILIZER DARTS!
UNDERSTOOD, SIR!
PEOPLE, LET'S GET KRAKEN!
THREE CHEERS FOR MR. ROCKERDUCK!

LATER...
YAWN! SOME PARTY! MR. ROCKERDUCK SURE KNOWS HOW TA THROW 'EM!
22
EVERYONE'S HITTING THE RACK! IT'S NOW OR NEVER!
GOT YOUR TNT ARMBAND COMPRESSORS UNDER YOUR SAILOR SUITS?
DARN TOOTIN'!
ZZ
GREAT! NOW STAY OUTSIDE AND KEEP WATCH...
22
...WHILE I SCRAMBLE THE SONAR!
BETTER TURN IT ON AND SEE HOW IT WORKS!
ELECTRONICS
CLICK!


TELL ME, O SONAR! WHEREFORE LIES YON KRAKEN? FOUR HUNDRED MILES AHEAD, OR...
CLICK!
...RIGHT BENEATH US—
GASP!
RIGHT BENEATH US! WE'RE IN KRAKEN TERRITORY ALREADY!

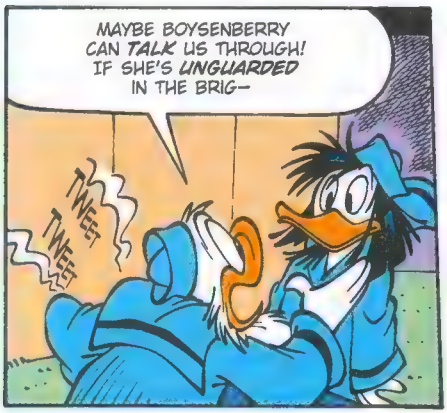
SOMETHING WRONG?
NO...JUST CATASTROPHIC!
BOYSEN-BERRY EX-PLAINS...
...BUT AS LONG AS ROCKERDUCK DOESN'T FIND OUT, WE'RE OKAY! I GOTTA HURRY!
OH, ME!
A KRAKEN RIGHT UNDER THIS SHIP! SIGH! WHAT A SHAME...
NO KIDDING!
22
...WE DON'T HAVE OUR SCUBA GEAR ALONG! WE COULD CHECK IT OUT!
GROAN!
THERE! SCRAMBLER INSTALLED!
HUH? THE SONAR STILL SHOWS THE KRAKEN UNDER US!

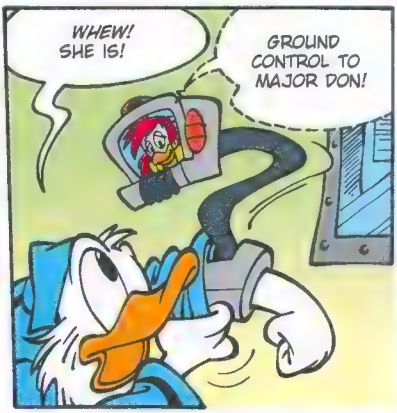
THE SCRAMBLER ISN'T WORKING! BUT...BUT THAT'S *IMPOSSIBLE!*
DID YOU JUST SAY WHAT I *THOUGHT* YOU JUST SAID?
SADLY *YES!* CLOSE THE DOOR!
NOTHING TO DO BUT DISASSEMBLE THE SCRAMBLER AND *FIX* IT!
GOTTA MOVE FAST! OR ROCKERDUCK WILL FIND THE KRAKEN FIRST THING IN THE MOR–
22
YOU TWO! WHAT ARE YOU DOING OUTSIDE THAT CABIN?!
!
!

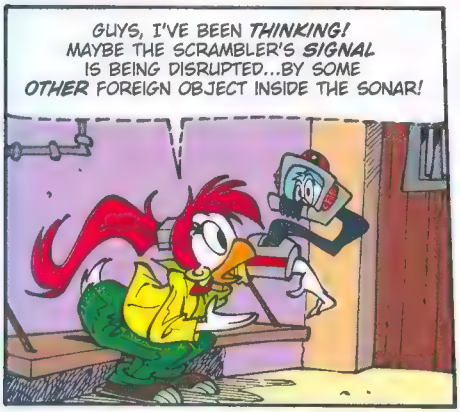
IF-
GOODNESS GRACIOUS! THERE'S SOMEBODY IN THERE!
STOP RIGHT THERE..."SUGAR"!
!
THROW HER IN THE BRIG! SHE MUST BE A SPY FOR SCROOGE McDUCK! GOOD THING WE CAUGHT HER IN TIME!
GULP!
ER... I...
AHEM! NICE WORK, MR. ROCKERDUCK! KRISTOS AND I WERE TRACKING THAT SPY, BUT YOU CAUGHT HER!
WELL, I-
TUT! NOW WE MUST AWAY TO BED! GOTTA BE FRESH FOR THE HUNT TOMORROW!

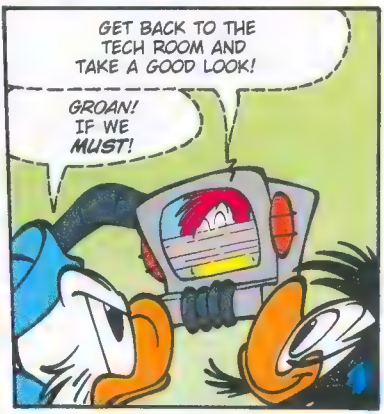
NOW WE HAVE TO FINISH BOYSENBERRY'S JOB! WHAT A DISASTER!
DON'T WORRY, COUSIN! I'LL HELP YOU!

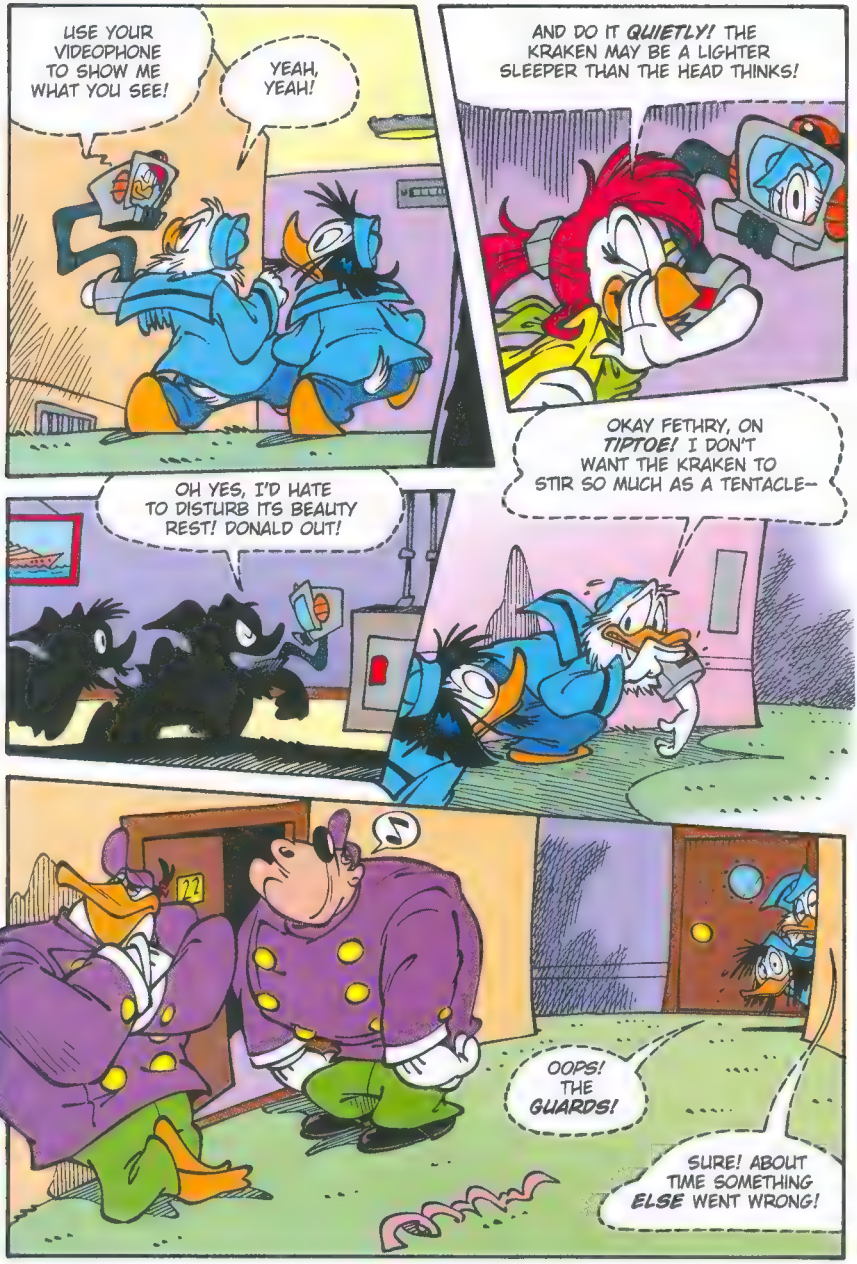
DID I MENTION THIS IS A DISASTER?!


MAYBE BOYSENBERRY CAN TALK US THROUGH! IF SHE'S UNGUARDED IN THE BRIG—
TWEET TWEET


WHEW! SHE IS!
GROUND CONTROL TO MAJOR DON!


GUYS, I'VE BEEN THINKING! MAYBE THE SCRAMBLER'S SIGNAL IS BEING DISRUPTED...BY SOME OTHER FOREIGN OBJECT INSIDE THE SONAR!


GET BACK TO THE TECH ROOM AND TAKE A GOOD LOOK!
GROAN! IF WE MUST!


USE YOUR VIDEOPHONE TO SHOW ME WHAT YOU SEE!
YEAH, YEAH!
AND DO IT *QUIETLY!* THE KRAKEN MAY BE A LIGHTER SLEEPER THAN THE HEAD THINKS!
OKAY FETHRY, ON *TIPTOE!* I DON'T WANT THE KRAKEN TO STIR SO MUCH AS A TENTACLE--
OH YES, I'D HATE TO DISTURB ITS BEAUTY REST! DONALD OUT!
22
OOPS! THE *GUARDS!*
SURE! ABOUT TIME SOMETHING *ELSE* WENT WRONG!

BUT FOR ONCE TNT TECHNOLOGY IS READY!
BORING WATCH, HUH?
YOU SAID I—
!
FSSSSSS
THERE! SLEEPING LIKE BABIES! THEY'LL JUST THINK THEY DOZED ON THE JOB!
Z
Z
22
QUICK! REMOVE THE BACK COVER!
ALREADY ON IT, COUSIN!
WHAT DOES THIS SHOW YOU, BOYSENBERRY?

JUST THE SCRAMBLER! GO TO THE LEFT!
GOT IT!
THERE! FOREIGN OBJECT AT TWELVE O' CLOCK!
IT'S GOTTA BE REMOVED! BUT...UH...
BUT WHAT?!
BUT I HAVE THE TOOLS YOU'LL NEED! COME BACK TO THE BRIG AND I'LL HAND THEM TO YOU!
OH, FOR CRYIN' OUT LOUD!
HOLD IT, COUSIN! I'VE GOT TO REASSEMBLE THIS!
HRMPH!
22
WHOLP! UH... NOTHIN', PAL!
HEY, SAILOR! WHATCHA UP TO?!

"NOTHIN'"?! SO WHY'RE THOSE GUYS ON THE FLOOR? AN' AIN'T YOU NOT SUPPOSED TO KNOW ENGLISH?
GLEEP! UH...ER...I...
"I AM"...?
I KNEW IT! KNEW IT ALL ALONG!
WHEW!
TO THE BRIG, COUSIN! GOTTA GET THOSE TOOLS TO SABOTAGE THE—
OOOPS!
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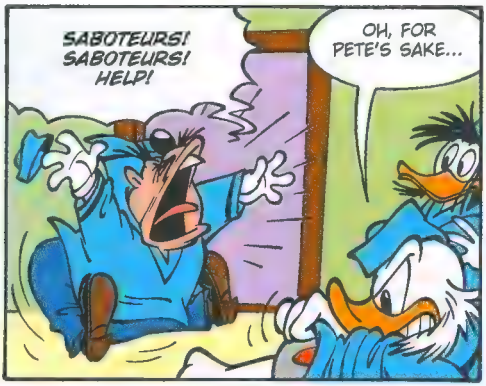
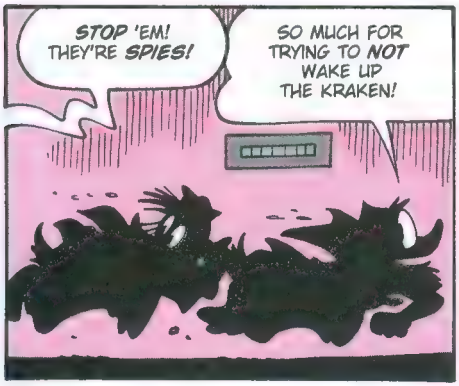
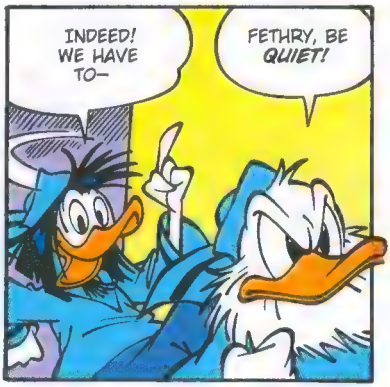

SABOTEURS! SABOTEURS! HELP!
OH, FOR PETE'S SAKE...

SMELL THE ROSES, LOUD-MOUTH!
OOF!

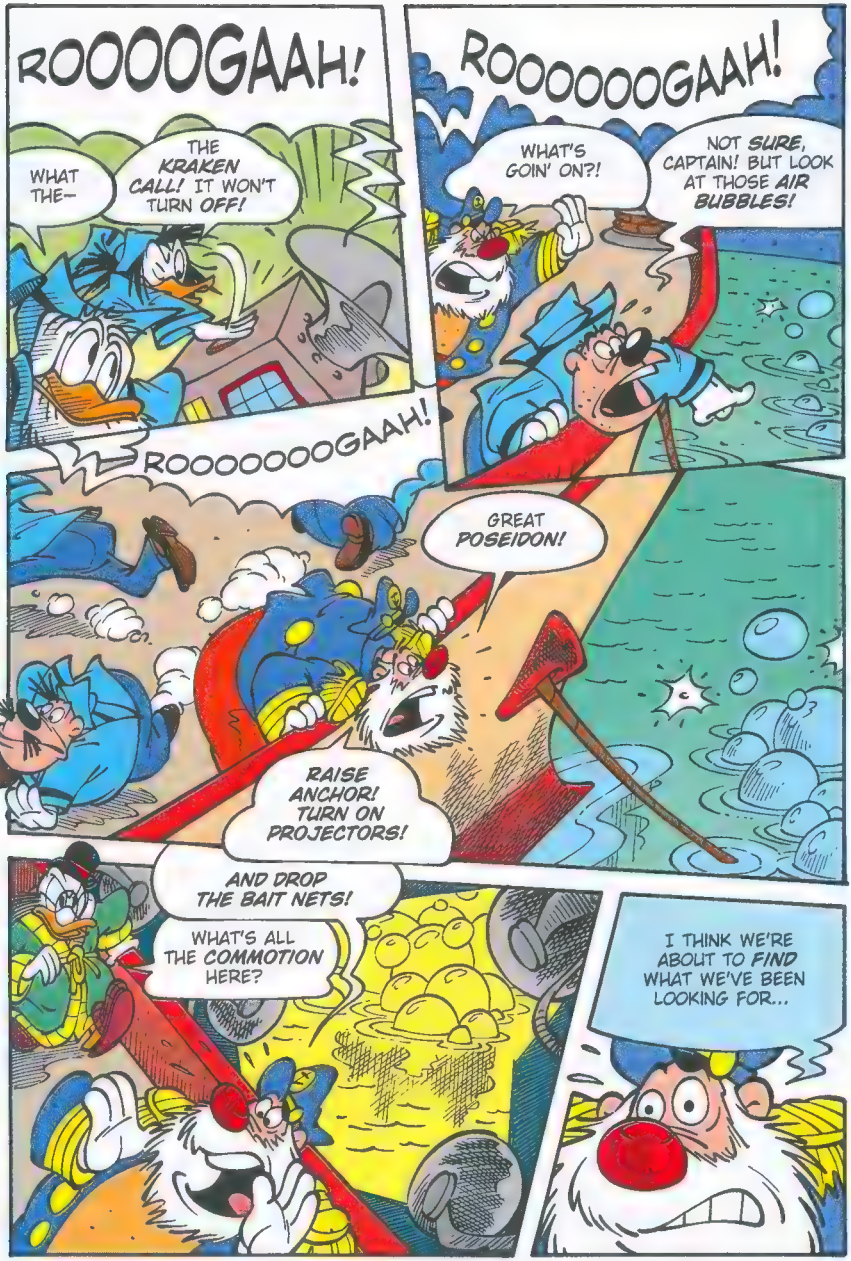
UH...WHAT HAPPENED?
WHAT'S GOING ON?
THIS PLACE IS GETTING CROWDED! TIME TO HIGHTAIL IT!


STOP 'EM! THEY'RE SPIES!
SO MUCH FOR TRYING TO NOT WAKE UP THE KRAKEN!


INDEED! WE HAVE TO—
FETHRY, BE QUIET!

GET 'EM!
DON'T TRIP ON THAT BUCKET!
HANDS OFF THAT FIRE ALARM!
SURE!
WATCH OUT FOR THOSE PLATES!
SHEESH, DON! WHATCHA WORRYING ABOUT ME FOR?
YOU BLEW OUR COVER! I'M NOT LETTING YOU MAKE THINGS WORSE!
THE BRIDGE! WE'LL HIDE IN THERE!

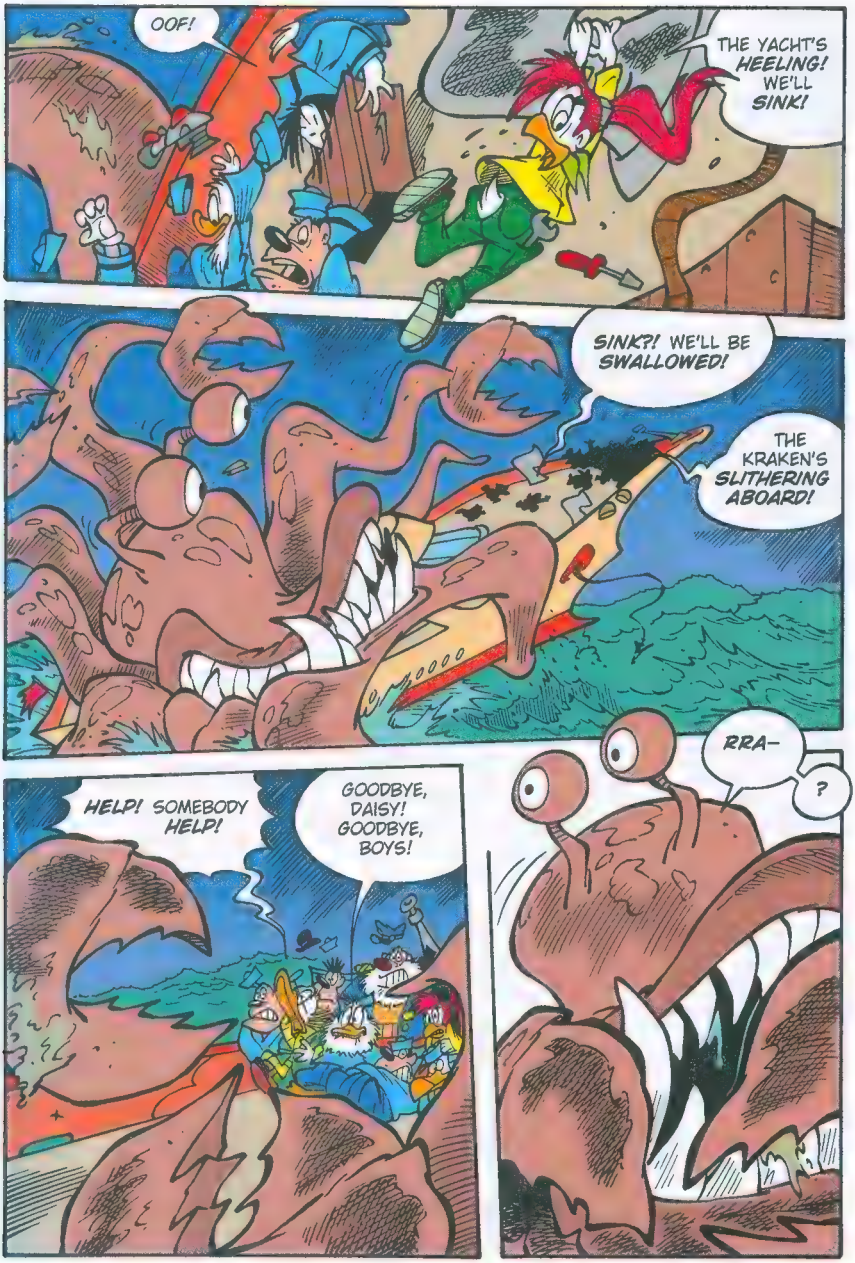
ONWARD, MATES! I THINK THEY WENT *THAT* WAY!
WE SHOOK THEM OFF!
SEE? IT PAYS TO BE QUIET!
JUST LIKE *I*—
ROOOOOGAAH!


ROOOOGAAH!
WHAT THE–
THE KRAKEN CALL! IT WON'T TURN OFF!
ROOOOOOOGAAH!
WHAT'S GOIN' ON?!
NOT SURE, CAPTAIN! BUT LOOK AT THOSE AIR BUBBLES!
ROOOOOOOGAAH!
GREAT POSEIDON!
RAISE ANCHOR! TURN ON PROJECTORS!
AND DROP THE BAIT NETS!
WHAT'S ALL THE COMMOTION HERE?
I THINK WE'RE ABOUT TO FIND WHAT WE'VE BEEN LOOKING FOR...

ROOOOOGAAH!

HELP!
HEEELP!
I'LL SHUT THIS THING UP, FETHRY! YOU GO HIT THE KRAKEN WITH EVERYTHING YOU'VE GOT!
CHOP CHOP
ROO-CRACKLE!
BUT...HAVEN'T WE FORGOTTEN SOMETHING?!
BOYSEN-BERRY!
HELP! HELP!
PUFF! WE'RE HERE, BOYSIE!
GET ME OUT! QUICK!

DONE!
KLANK!
LET'S FIND A LIFEBOAT! I WANT OFF THIS HOODOO SHIP-
HELP! HEEELP!
TOO LATE!
ALL I'VE GOT IS MY SLEEPING GAS GUN! YOU?
NOTHING BUT MY LOCK PICK!
I DIDN'T WANT TO...HARM NATURE...
NEXT MISSION I BRING A ROCKET LAUNCHER!


OOF!
THE YACHT'S HEELING! WE'LL SINK!
SINK?! WE'LL BE SWALLOWED!
THE KRAKEN'S SLITHERING ABOARD!
HELP! SOMEBODY HELP!
GOODBYE, DAISY! GOODBYE, BOYS!
RRA-
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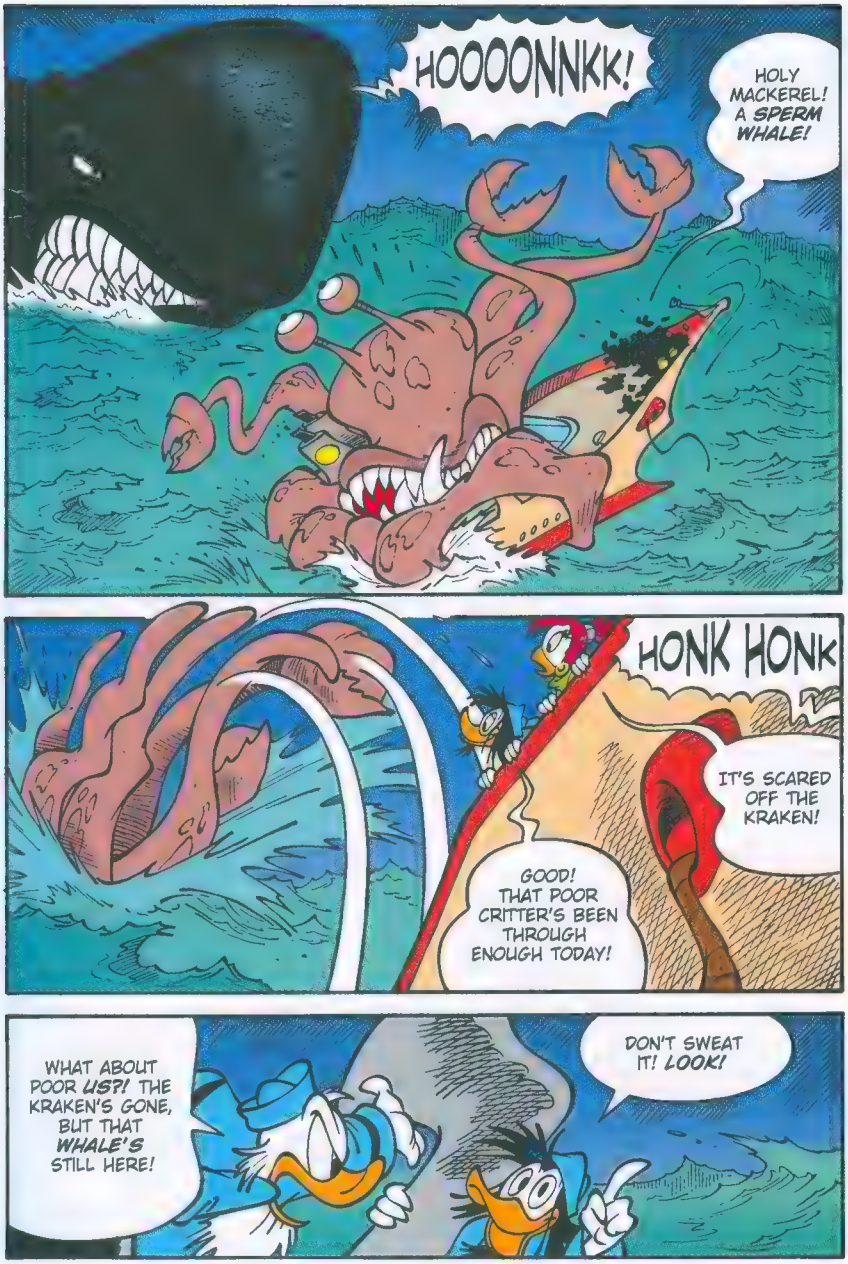
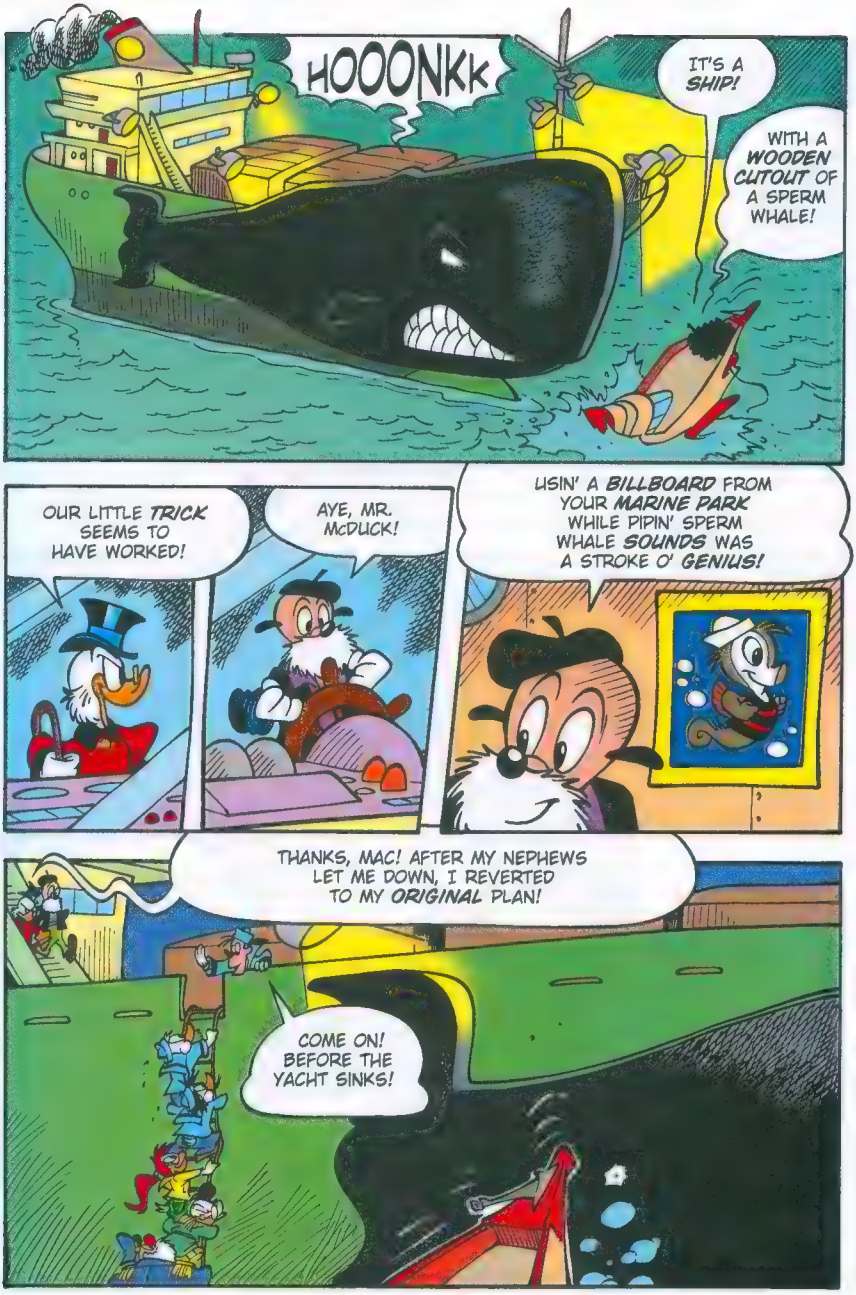
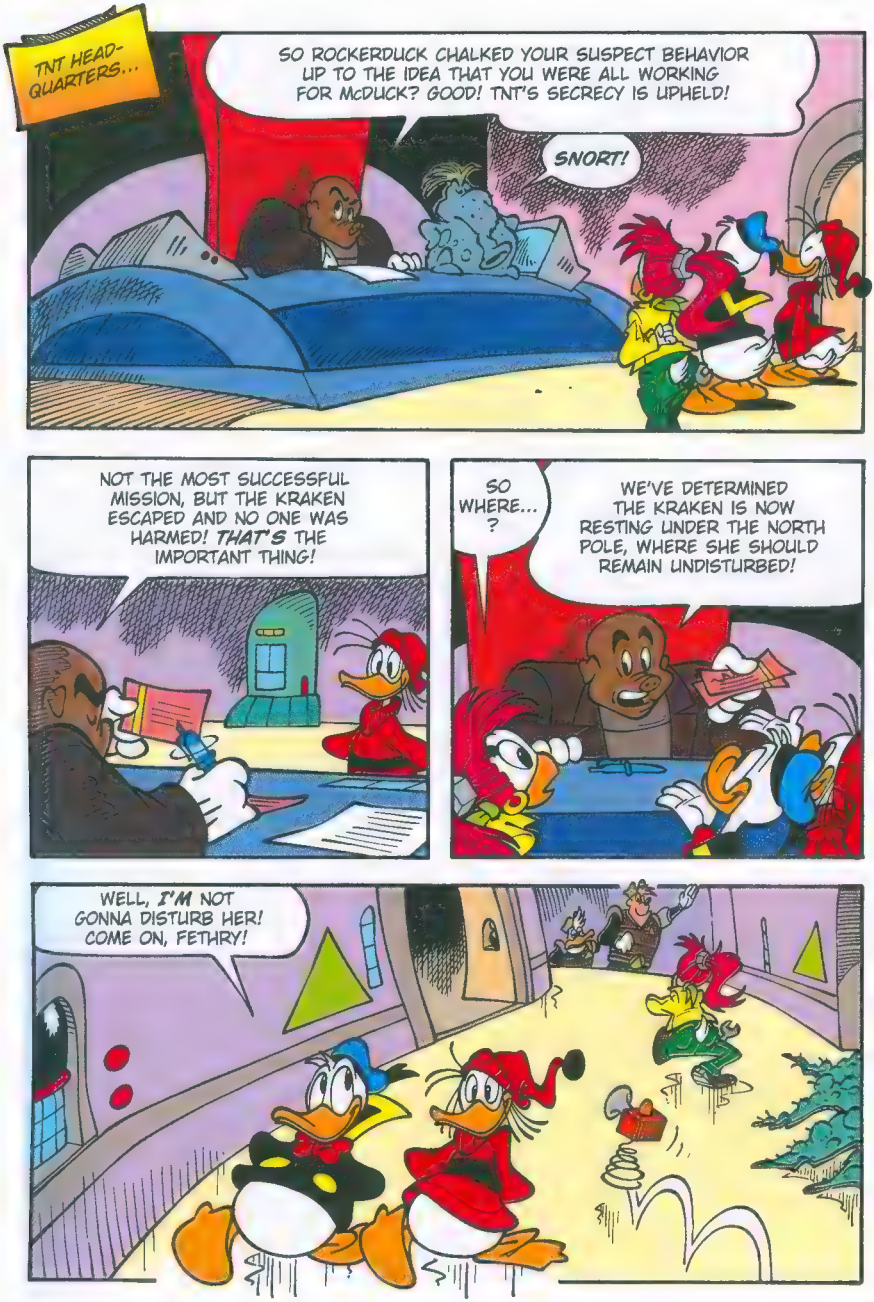
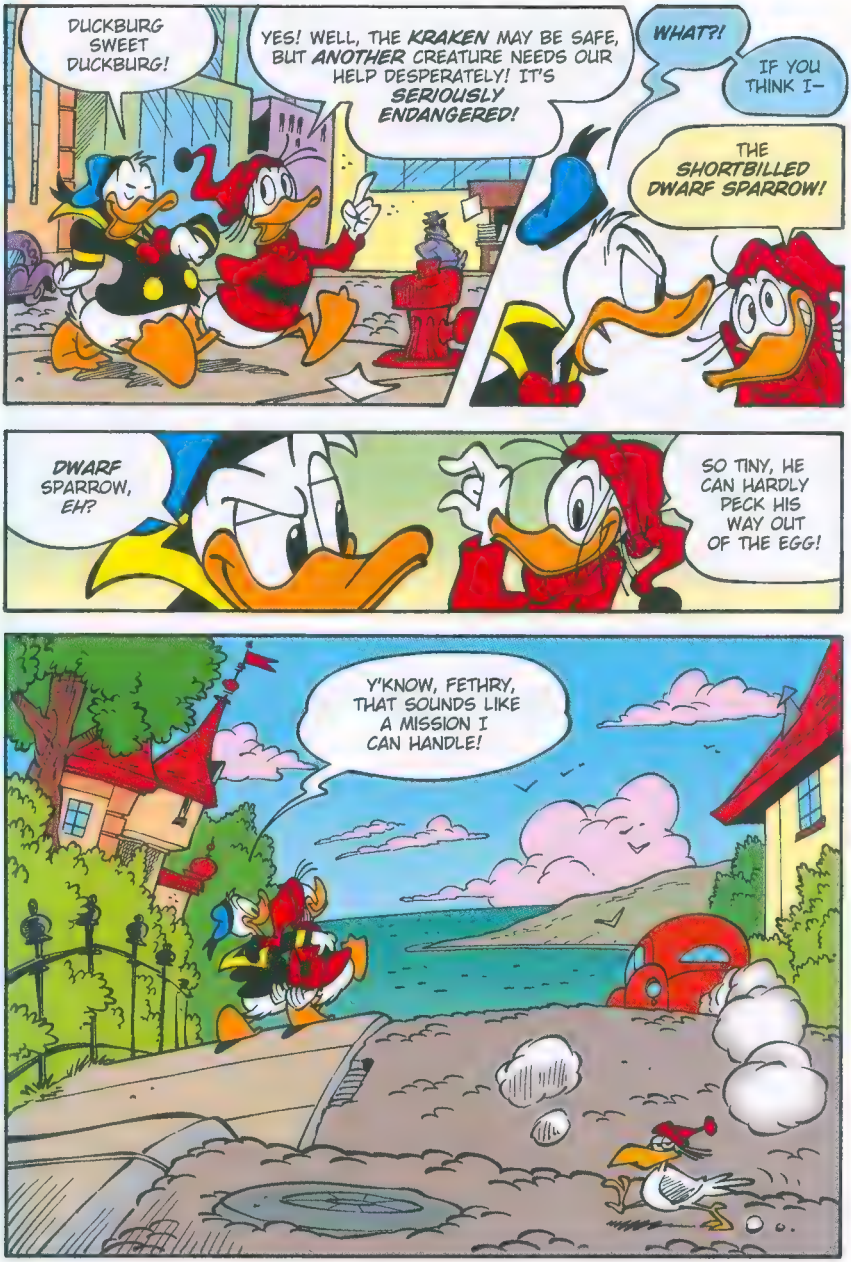

HOOOONNKK!
HOLY MACKEREL! A SPERM WHALE!
HONK HONK
IT'S SCARED OFF THE KRAKEN!
GOOD! THAT POOR CRITTER'S BEEN THROUGH ENOUGH TODAY!
WHAT ABOUT POOR US?! THE KRAKEN'S GONE, BUT THAT WHALE'S STILL HERE!
DON'T SWEAT IT! LOOK!


HOOONKk
IT'S A SHIP!
WITH A WOODEN CUTOUT OF A SPERM WHALE!
OUR LITTLE TRICK SEEMS TO HAVE WORKED!
AYE, MR. McDUCK!
USIN' A BILLBOARD FROM YOUR MARINE PARK WHILE PIPIN' SPERM WHALE SOUNDS WAS A STROKE O' GENIUS!
THANKS, MAC! AFTER MY NEPHEWS LET ME DOWN, I REVERTED TO MY ORIGINAL PLAN!
COME ON! BEFORE THE YACHT SINKS!

PLAN A: "IF ROCKERDUCK FINDS A KRAKEN, SCARE IT AWAY!" IT WAS EASY TO FOLLOW ROCKERDUCK'S YACHT...
...USING THAT TRACKING DEVICE I PLANTED IN HIS SONAR!
!
TRACKING DEVICE?! SO THAT'S WHAT WAS SCREWING UP MY SCRAMBLER!
YOU! THIS IS ALL YOUR FAULT!
THANKS TO YOU THE KRAKEN—
GASP!
!

OOPS!
DONALD! FETHRY! IS THAT YOU?!
MY DEAR NEPHEWS! SO YOU DECIDED TO HELP YOUR OLD UNCLE OUT AFTER ALL!
UH...Y-YEAH!
SURE!
THIS CALLS FOR A CELEBRATION! I'M TAKING ROCKERDUCK'S CREW HOME FOR FREE, BUT AS FOR THEIR EMPLOYER...
HOORAY FOR MR. McDUCK!
I SUPPOSE I MUST PAY FOR THE TRIP! WELL, THIS BLANK CHECK...
IS USELESS! I NEED MANPOWER AT THE MOMENT!
AND AFTER YOU SCRUB THE DECK, MY NEPHEWS WOULD LIKE SOME MORE REFRESHMENTS! THEN YOU CAN POLISH THE RAILINGS!
GRRR!


TNT HEAD-QUARTERS...
SO ROCKERDUCK CHALKED YOUR SUSPECT BEHAVIOR UP TO THE IDEA THAT YOU WERE ALL WORKING FOR McDUCK? GOOD! TNT'S SECRECY IS UPHELD!
SNORT!
NOT THE MOST SUCCESSFUL MISSION, BUT THE KRAKEN ESCAPED AND NO ONE WAS HARMED! THAT'S THE IMPORTANT THING!
SO WHERE...?
WE'VE DETERMINED THE KRAKEN IS NOW RESTING UNDER THE NORTH POLE, WHERE SHE SHOULD REMAIN UNDISTURBED!
WELL, I'M NOT GONNA DISTURB HER! COME ON, FETHRY!


DUCKBURG SWEET DUCKBURG!
YES! WELL, THE KRAKEN MAY BE SAFE, BUT ANOTHER CREATURE NEEDS OUR HELP DESPERATELY! IT'S SERIOUSLY ENDANGERED!
WHAT?!
IF YOU THINK I—
THE SHORTBILLED DWARF SPARROW!
DWARF SPARROW, EH?
SO TINY, HE CAN HARDLY PECK HIS WAY OUT OF THE EGG!
Y'KNOW, FETHRY, THAT SOUNDS LIKE A MISSION I CAN HANDLE!

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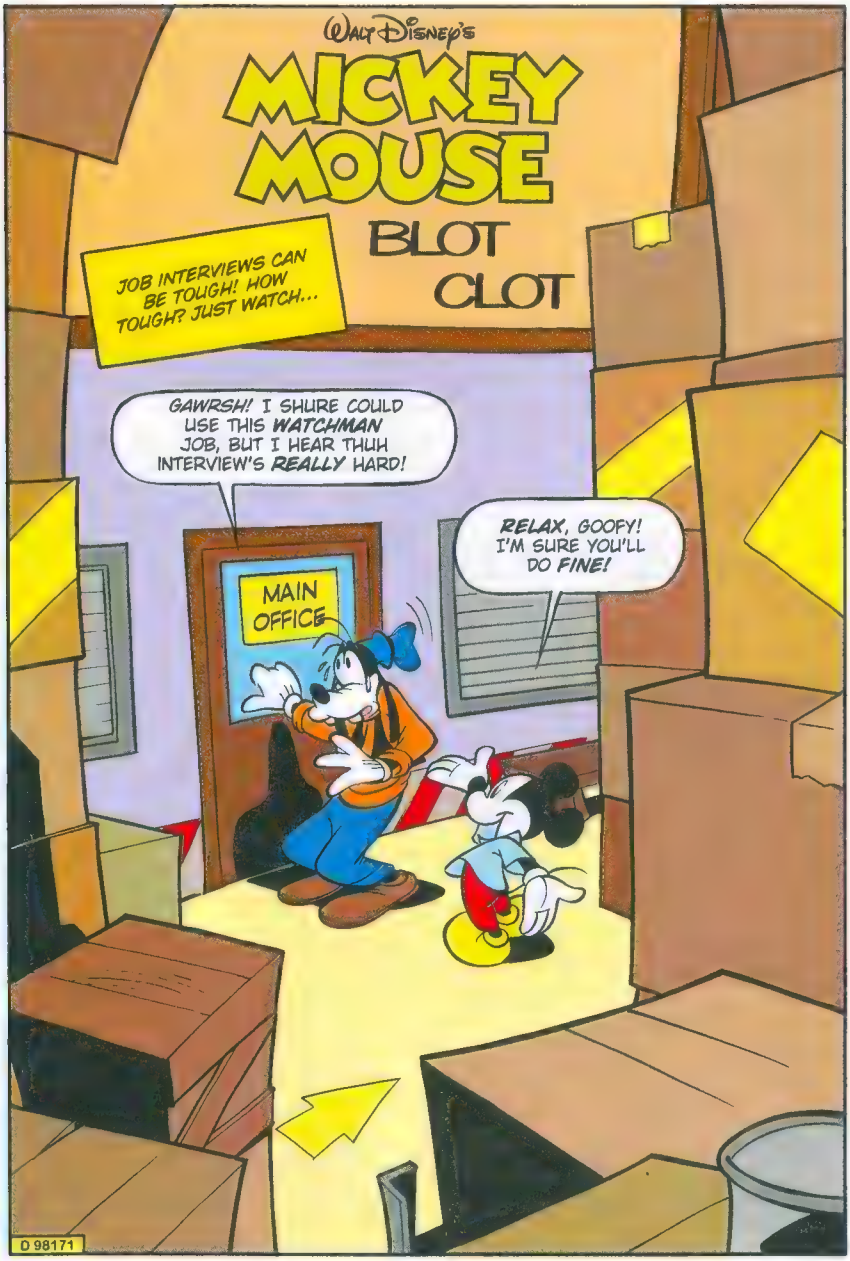
Walt Disney's
MICKEY MOUSE
BLOT CLOT
JOB INTERVIEWS CAN BE TOUGH! HOW TOUGH? JUST WATCH...
GAWRSH! I SHURE COULD USE THIS WATCHMAN JOB, BUT I HEAR THUH INTERVIEW'S REALLY HARD!
RELAX, GOOFY! I'M SURE YOU'LL DO FINE!
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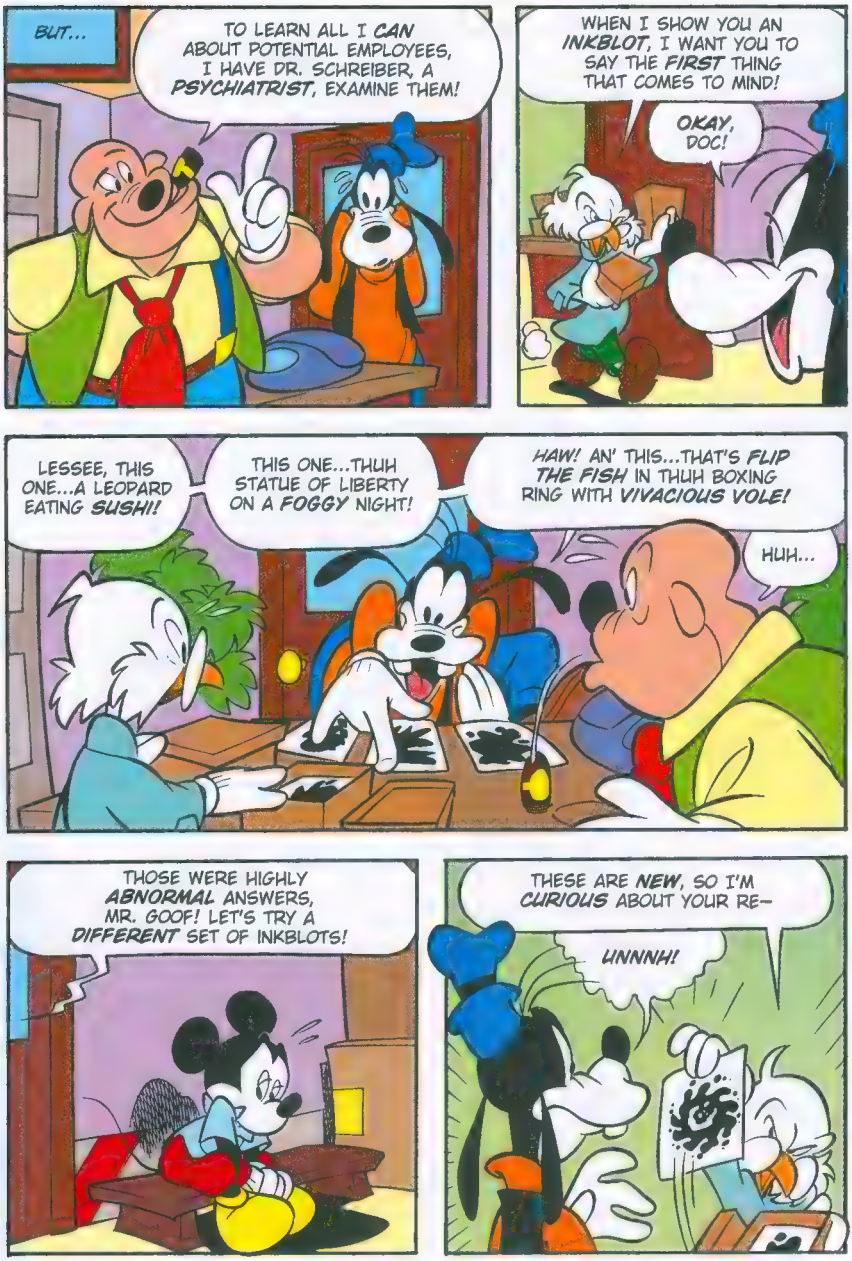

BUT...
TO LEARN ALL I CAN ABOUT POTENTIAL EMPLOYEES, I HAVE DR. SCHREIBER, A PSYCHIATRIST, EXAMINE THEM!
WHEN I SHOW YOU AN INKBLOT, I WANT YOU TO SAY THE FIRST THING THAT COMES TO MIND!
OKAY, DOC!
LESSEE, THIS ONE...A LEOPARD EATING SUSHI!
THIS ONE...THUH STATUE OF LIBERTY ON A FOGGY NIGHT!
HAW! AN' THIS...THAT'S FLIP THE FISH IN THUH BOXING RING WITH VIVACIOUS VOLE!
HUH...
THOSE WERE HIGHLY ABNORMAL ANSWERS, MR. GOOF! LET'S TRY A DIFFERENT SET OF INKBLOTS!
THESE ARE NEW, SO I'M CURIOUS ABOUT YOUR RE—
UNNNH!

WHAT HAPPENED?
LOOKS LIKE HE'S GONE INTO A SORT OF TRANCE!
IN ALL MY YEARS, I'VE NEVER SEEN ANYTHING LIKE IT...
MAYBE IT'S THE INKBLOT!
LOOKS PERFECTLY NORMAL TO...
UHNN!!
OOOOO!
IT'S BEEN OVER AN HOUR! WHAT'S TAKING SO LONG?
IF I COULD JUST HEAR HOW GOOFY'S DOING, I—

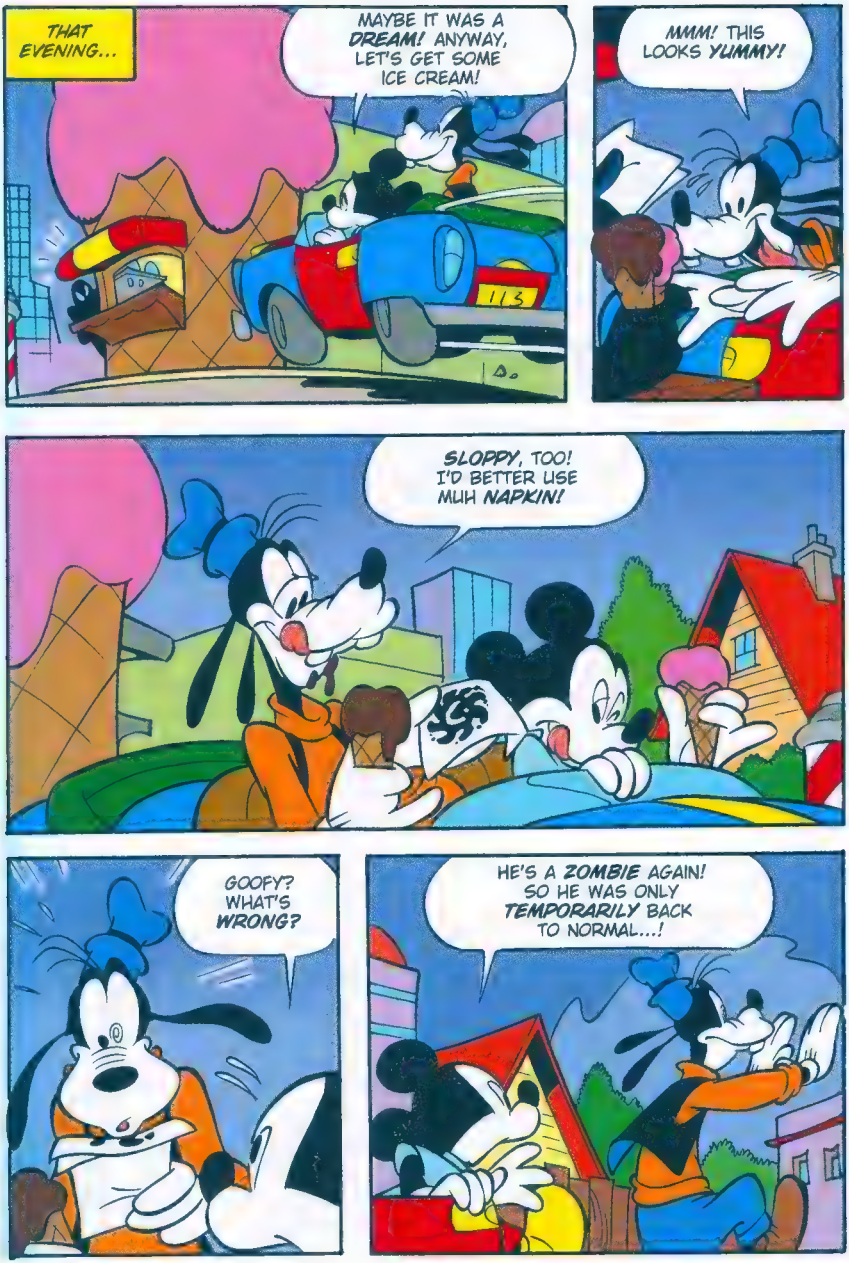
NG!
NG!
NG!
WHACK!
WHOO! BAD TIMING! WHAT'S WRONG WITH THOSE GUYS? THEY DIDN'T EVEN STOP!
HEY, GOOFY! DID YOU GET THE JOB?
WHAT AM I, INVISIBLE?!
THEY'RE LIKE ROBOT ZOMBIES FROM ONE OF GOOFY'S CHEAP SCI-FI NOVELS!

YIKES! THEY'RE NOT THE ONLY ZOMBIES ON THE MOVE!
THERE'S HUNDREDS OF 'EM...
...BUT WHAT'RE THEY ALL WAITING FOR?
MICKEY WAITS WITH THEM...
ZZZ! HUH? AT LAST THEY'RE MOVING!
IT'S LIKE THEY'RE RESPONDING TO SOME SORT OF PROGRAMMING! BUT WHY COME TO THE WOODS?

FER GOSH SAKES!

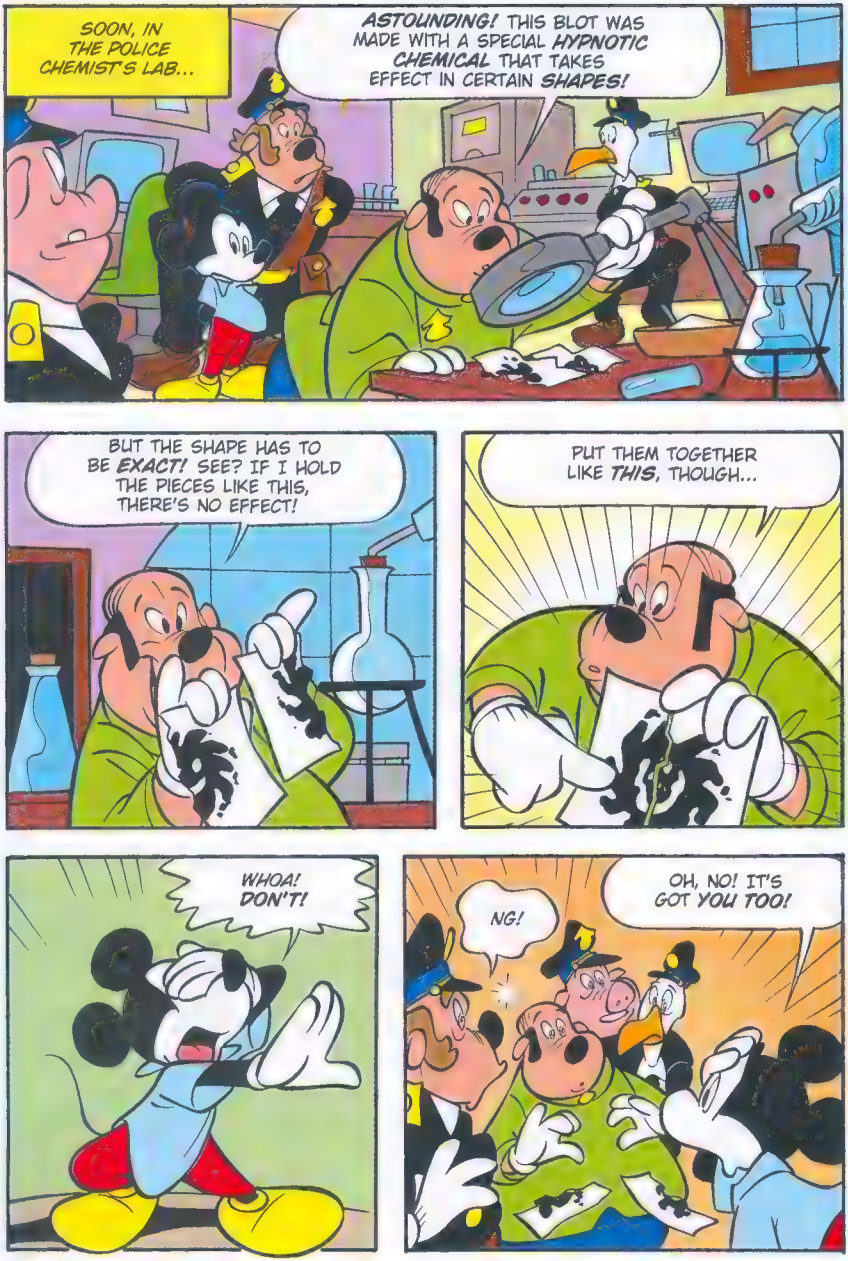
IS IT AN ALIEN INVASION? NO, IT'S AN EARTH EXODUS OR SOMETHING!
QUICK! GET ME CHIEF O' HARA!
IN A FEW HOURS...
WE'VE BEEN OVER THE AREA TWICE! THERE'S NOTHING HERE, MICKEY!
THAT SHIP MUST'VE TAKEN OFF!
MY PAL GOOFY WAS WITH THEM, CHIEF! I'VE GOTTA FIND HIM!
I KNOW, BUT THERE'S NOTHING ELSE WE CAN DO RIGHT NOW!

AN EXHAUSTED MICKEY RETURNS HOME...
SIGH! I'M SO TIRED I CAN'T EVEN SEE! ZZZ...
LATER THAT MORNING...
YAWN! MAYBE I CAN FIND SOME CLUES WHERE IT STARTED!
WHAT?
CONGRATULATIONS! THE JOB'S YOURS!
GAWRSH!
GOOFY, YOU'RE ALL RIGHT! L-LAST NIGHT YOU WERE A ZOMBIE!
ME? NAW, I WENT HOME AFTER TH' INTERVIEW!
WHERE'D YOU GO, BY THE WAY?


THAT EVENING...
MAYBE IT WAS A DREAM! ANYWAY, LET'S GET SOME ICE CREAM!
MMM! THIS LOOKS YUMMY!
SLOPPY, TOO! I'D BETTER USE MUH NAPKIN!
GOOFY? WHAT'S WRONG?
HE'S A ZOMBIE AGAIN! SO HE WAS ONLY TEMPORARILY BACK TO NORMAL...!

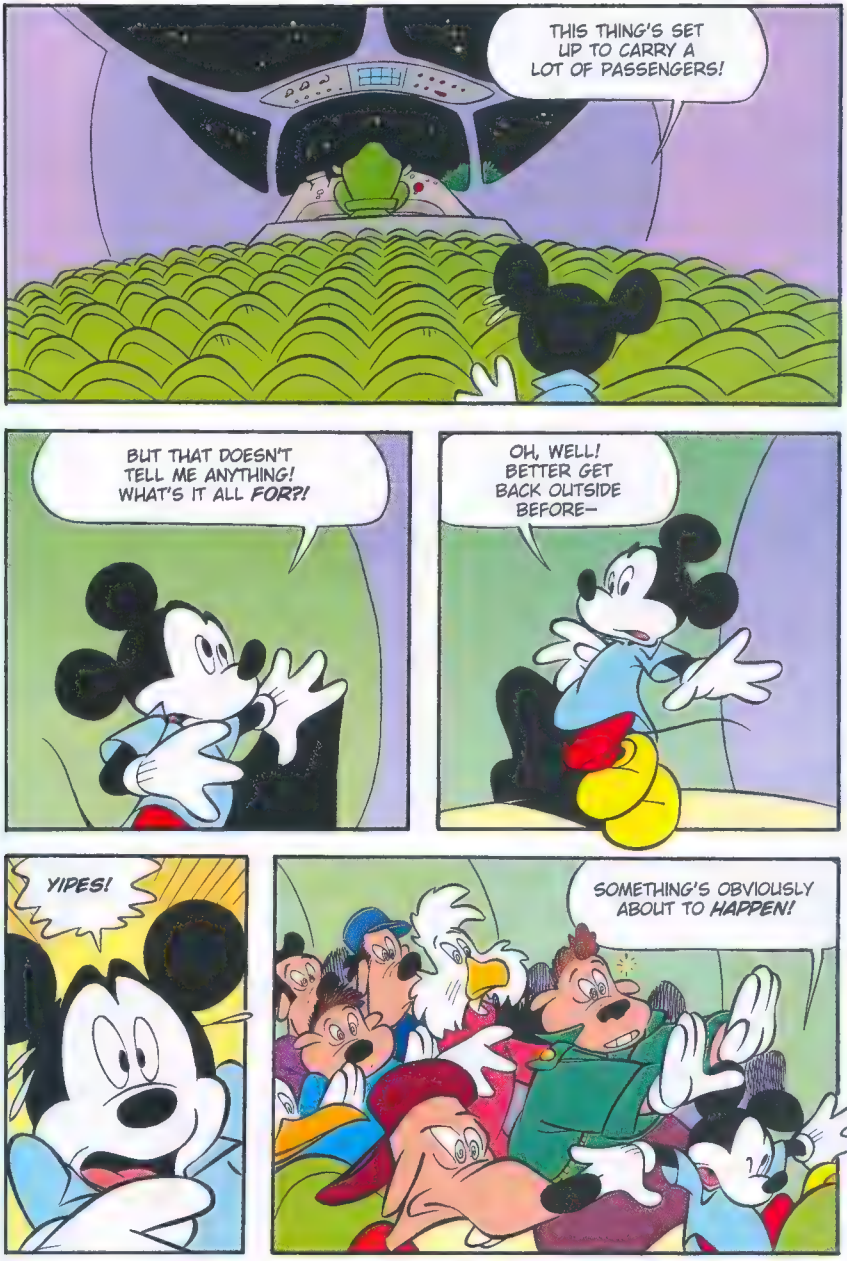
LOOK AT ALL THOSE SUPPLIES! THAT SHIP MAY GET *FINISHED* TONIGHT!
BUT WHERE *IS* IT? AND WHAT'S GOOFY—
YE CATS! THAT ANSWERS *BOTH* QUESTIONS!
THAT *CAMOUFLAGE* SHEET MADE IT *IMPOSSIBLE* TO SEE IN THE DARK!
GOTTA TAKE THIS TO O'HARA! IT'LL BE *PROOF* OF WHAT'S GOING ON!

OOPS! THEY'RE ON TO ME!
NG!
NG!
NG!
NG!
HEY, IT'S THAT INKBLOT THAT YOU HAD ON YOUR NAPKIN...
...AND I BET IT'S WHAT MADE YOU ALL ZOMBIES!
THANKS, BUT I'D RATHER NOT LOOK AT IT!
RRRIP!
WHEW! GOTTA HIGHTAIL IT BACK TO TOWN!


SOON, IN THE POLICE CHEMIST'S LAB...
ASTOUNDING! THIS BLOT WAS MADE WITH A SPECIAL HYPNOTIC CHEMICAL THAT TAKES EFFECT IN CERTAIN SHAPES!
BUT THE SHAPE HAS TO BE EXACT! SEE? IF I HOLD THE PIECES LIKE THIS, THERE'S NO EFFECT!
PUT THEM TOGETHER LIKE THIS, THOUGH...
WHOA! DON'T!
NG!
OH, NO! IT'S GOT YOU TOO!

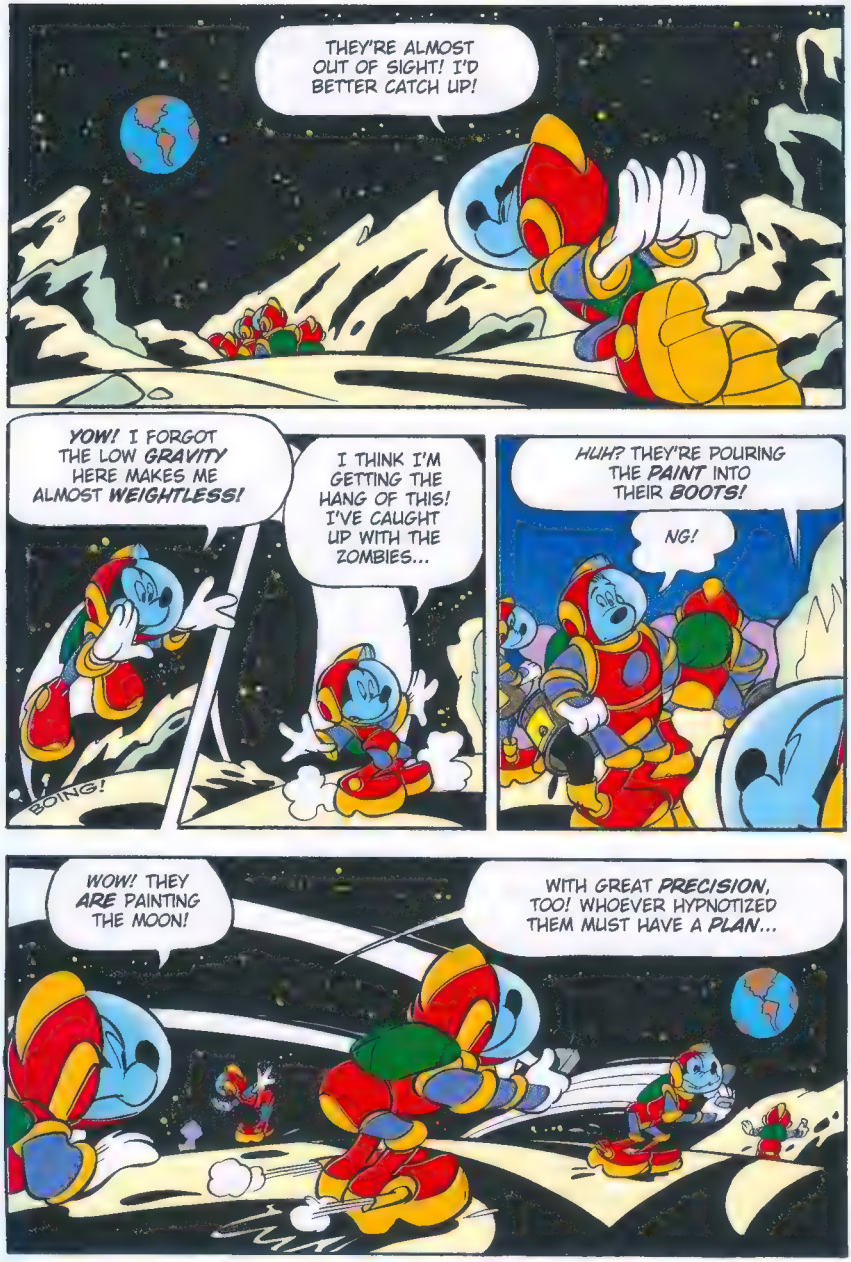
SO...
HOW *IRONIC!* AS ZOMBIES, THE *POLICE* ARE STAGING A *HEIST!*
NG! FOUR OUNCES SODIUM NITRATE TO EACH QUART OF PAINT! *NG!* STIR...*NG!*
THEY MUST BE MAKING *HYPNOTIC PAINT!* BUT *WHY?*
I'LL FIND OUT...
...AND THIS TIME I'LL HITCH A *RIDE* TO THE WOODS!

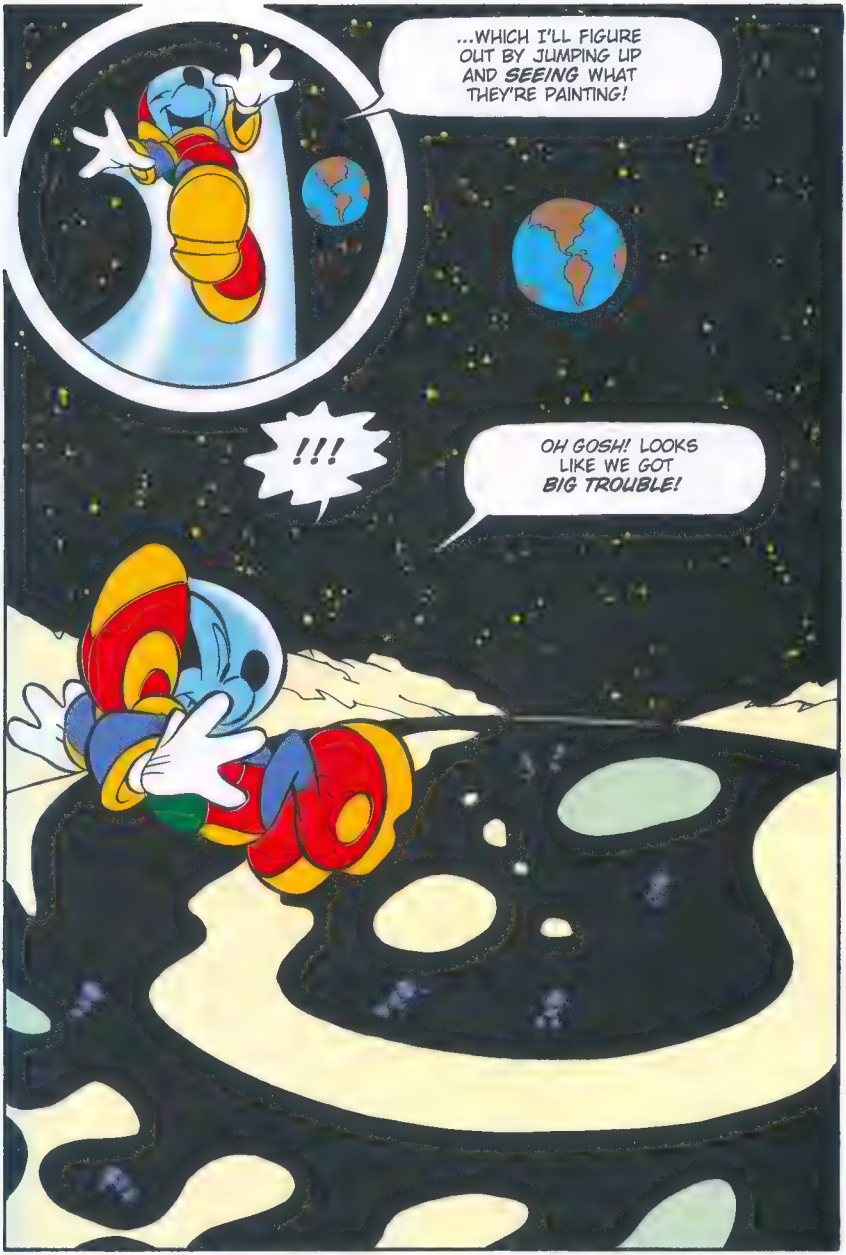
FILLED WITH CANS OF PAINT, THE VANS HEAD OFF...
WEIRD THAT NO ONE'S SEEN ME! IT'S LIKE THEY CAN ONLY SEE WHAT THEY'RE CONCENTRATING ON!
BETTER STAY OUT OF SIGHT JUST THE SAME! LOOKS LIKE THAT SHIP IS ALMOST DONE!
I'LL BET THE ANSWER TO THIS MYSTERY IS INSIDE IT!
NO ONE'S LOOKING! HERE GOES!


THIS THING'S SET UP TO CARRY A LOT OF PASSENGERS!
BUT THAT DOESN'T TELL ME ANYTHING! WHAT'S IT ALL FOR?!
OH, WELL! BETTER GET BACK OUTSIDE BEFORE–
YIPES!
SOMETHING'S OBVIOUSLY ABOUT TO HAPPEN!

WHOOSH!
WOW! NOW MAYBE I'LL GET TO THE BOTTOM OF THIS!
URF!
LATER...
WH-WHERE AM I? SOMEONE KNOCKED ME....
...TO THE MOON!
WELL, I'LL BE DOGGONED!

HEY! THE ZOMBIES ARE MOVING, AND PUTTING ON SPACESUITS!
THERE'S THE HYPNOTIC PAINT, AND SOME ODD BOOTS...
OOPS! I'D BETTER GET INTO A SPACESUIT MYSELF — DOUBLE-TIME!
PHEW! THERE WAS ONE IN MY SIZE...
SO WHAT'RE THE ZOMBIES GONNA DO? PAINT THE MOON?


THEY'RE ALMOST OUT OF SIGHT! I'D BETTER CATCH UP!
YOW! I FORGOT THE LOW GRAVITY HERE MAKES ME ALMOST WEIGHTLESS!
I THINK I'M GETTING THE HANG OF THIS! I'VE CAUGHT UP WITH THE ZOMBIES...
BOING!
HUH? THEY'RE POURING THE PAINT INTO THEIR BOOTS!
NG!
WOW! THEY ARE PAINTING THE MOON!
WITH GREAT PRECISION, TOO! WHOEVER HYPNOTIZED THEM MUST HAVE A PLAN...


...WHICH I'LL FIGURE OUT BY JUMPING UP AND SEEING WHAT THEY'RE PAINTING!
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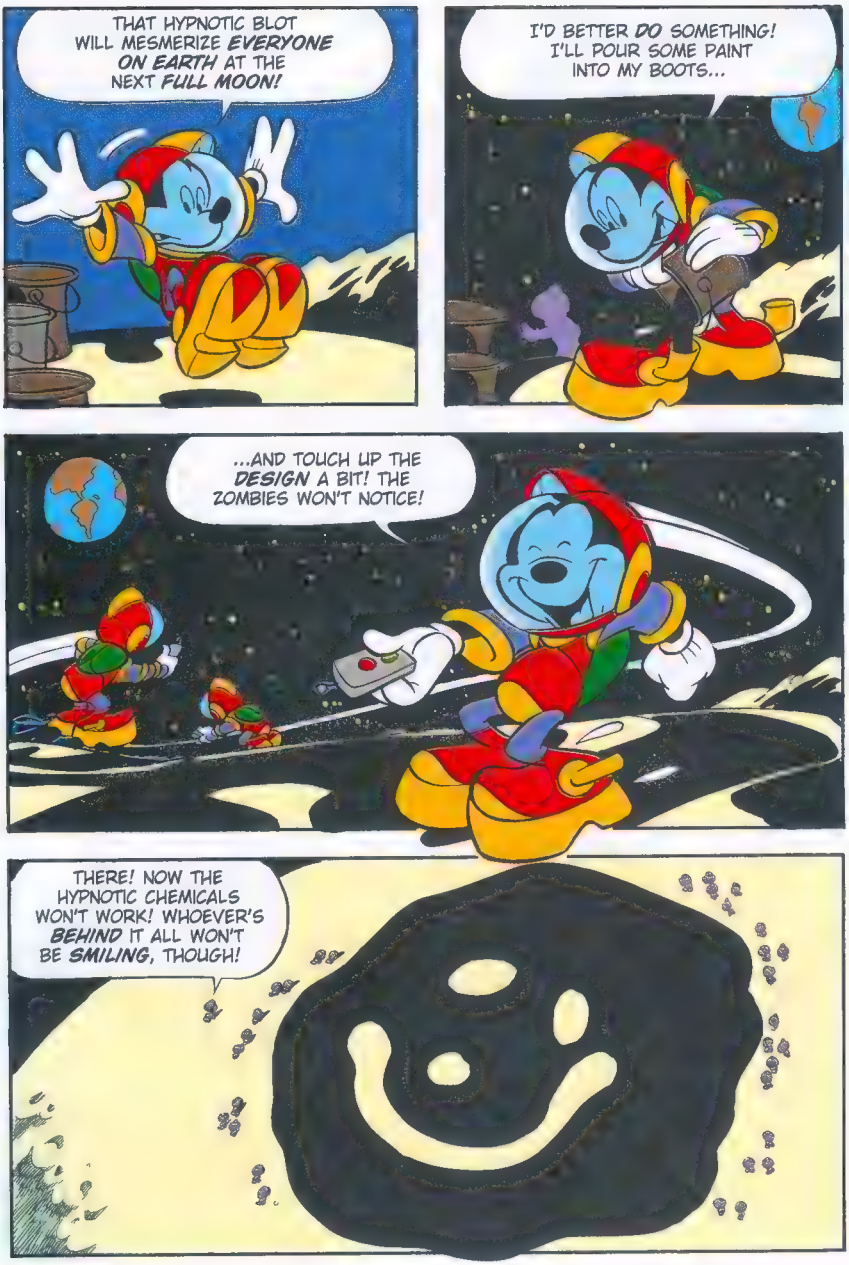
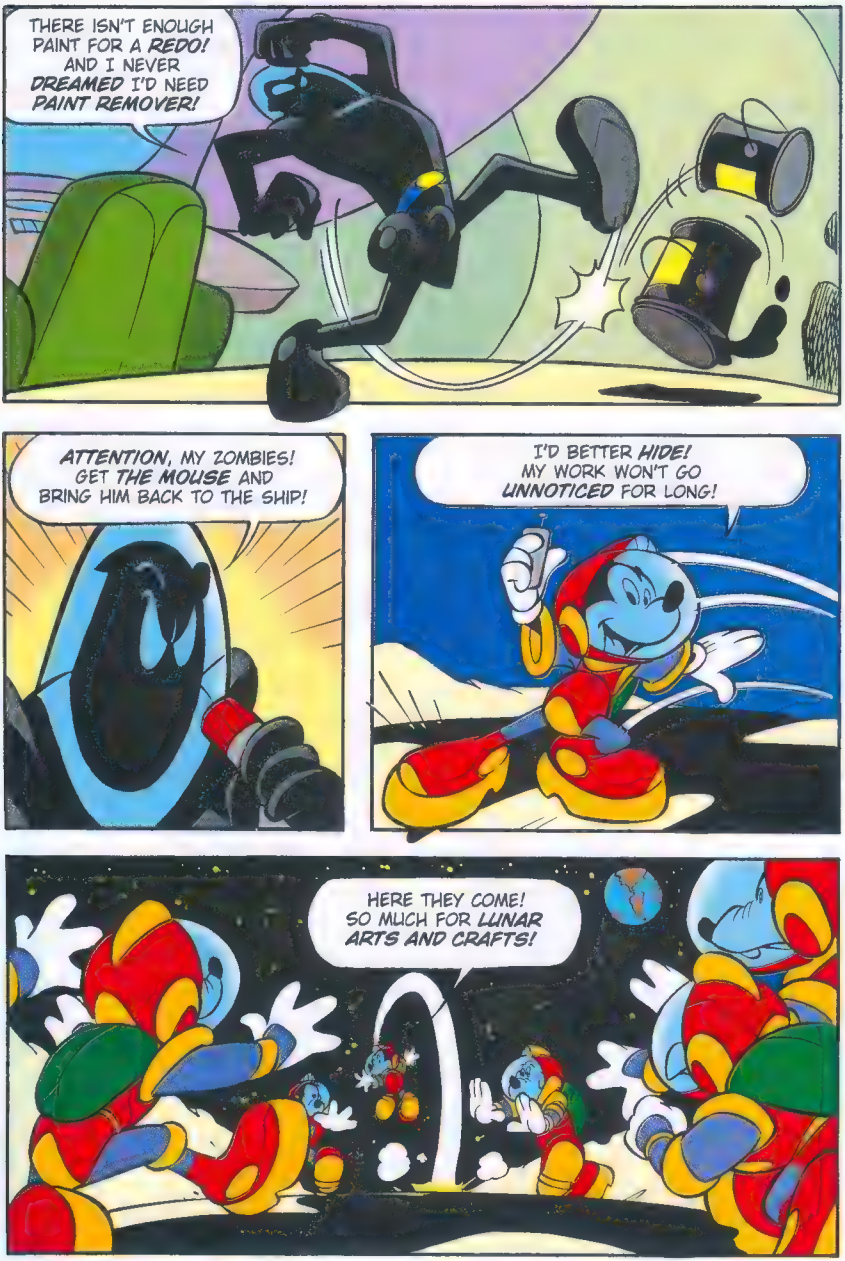
OH GOSH! LOOKS LIKE WE GOT BIG TROUBLE!


THAT HYPNOTIC BLOT WILL MESMERIZE EVERYONE ON EARTH AT THE NEXT FULL MOON!
I'D BETTER DO SOMETHING! I'LL POUR SOME PAINT INTO MY BOOTS...
...AND TOUCH UP THE DESIGN A BIT! THE ZOMBIES WON'T NOTICE!
THERE! NOW THE HYPNOTIC CHEMICALS WON'T WORK! WHOEVER'S BEHIND IT ALL WON'T BE SMILING, THOUGH!

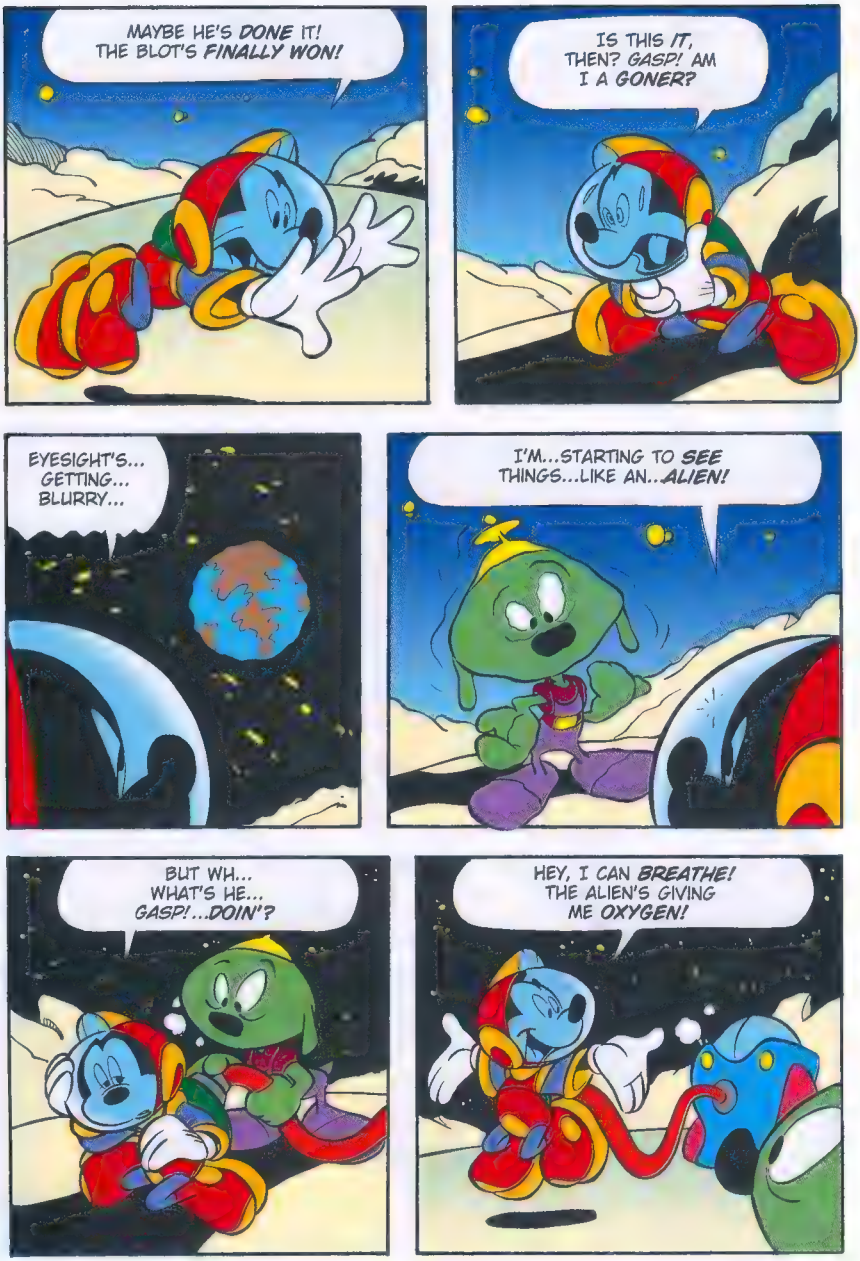
BACK ON THE SHIP...
HAH! NOW TO SEE HOW MY MASTER PLAN IS COMING ALONG!
WHAT? WHO DARES?!
SMASH!
BLAST THAT CURSED RODENT! HE SOMEHOW GOT OUT AND SPOILED THE GREATEST SCHEME EVER PERPETRATED...
THE BLOT'S RUINED! USELESS!
MONTHS TO PLAN, WEEKS TO PREPARE...
...BY THE PHANTOM BLOT!

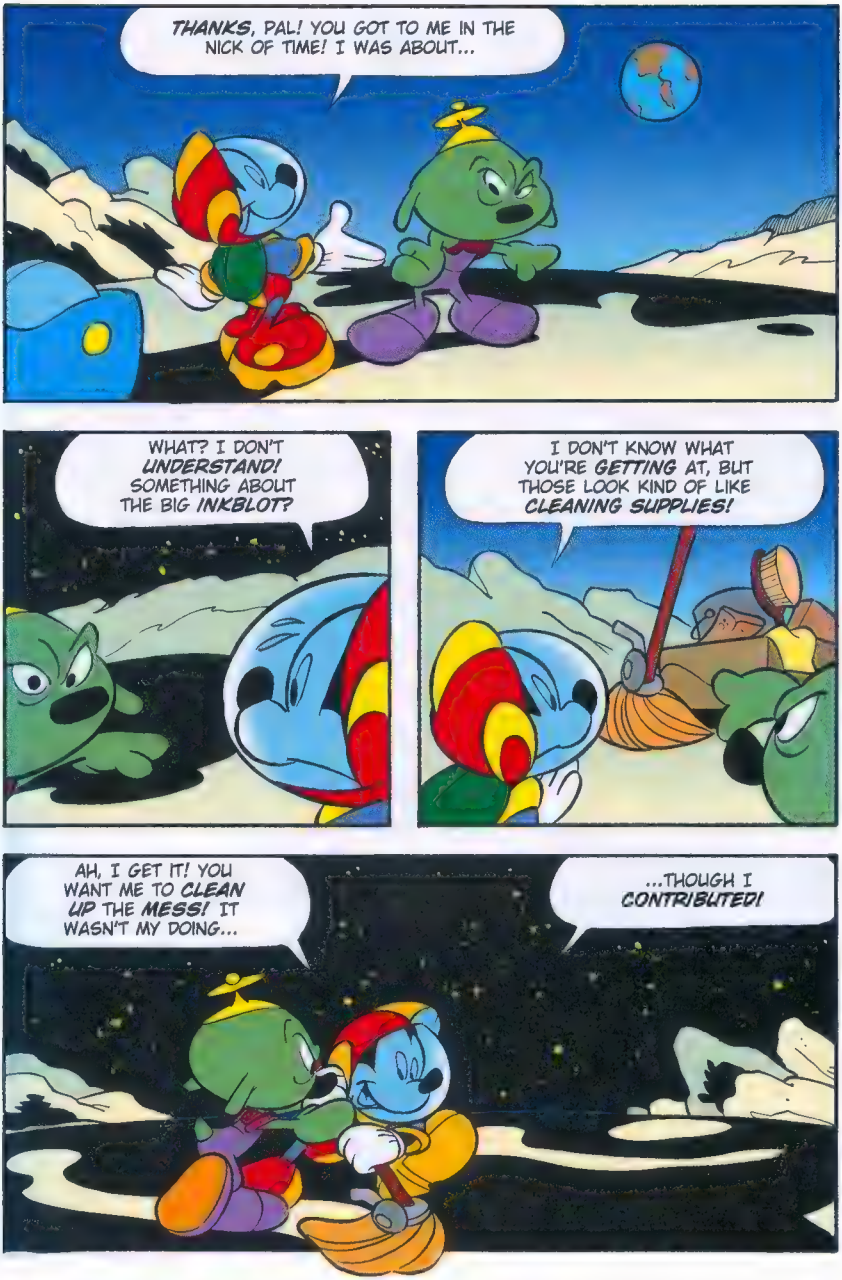

THERE ISN'T ENOUGH PAINT FOR A REDO! AND I NEVER DREAMED I'D NEED PAINT REMOVER!
ATTENTION, MY ZOMBIES! GET THE MOUSE AND BRING HIM BACK TO THE SHIP!
I'D BETTER HIDE! MY WORK WON'T GO UNNOTICED FOR LONG!
HERE THEY COME! SO MUCH FOR LUNAR ARTS AND CRAFTS!

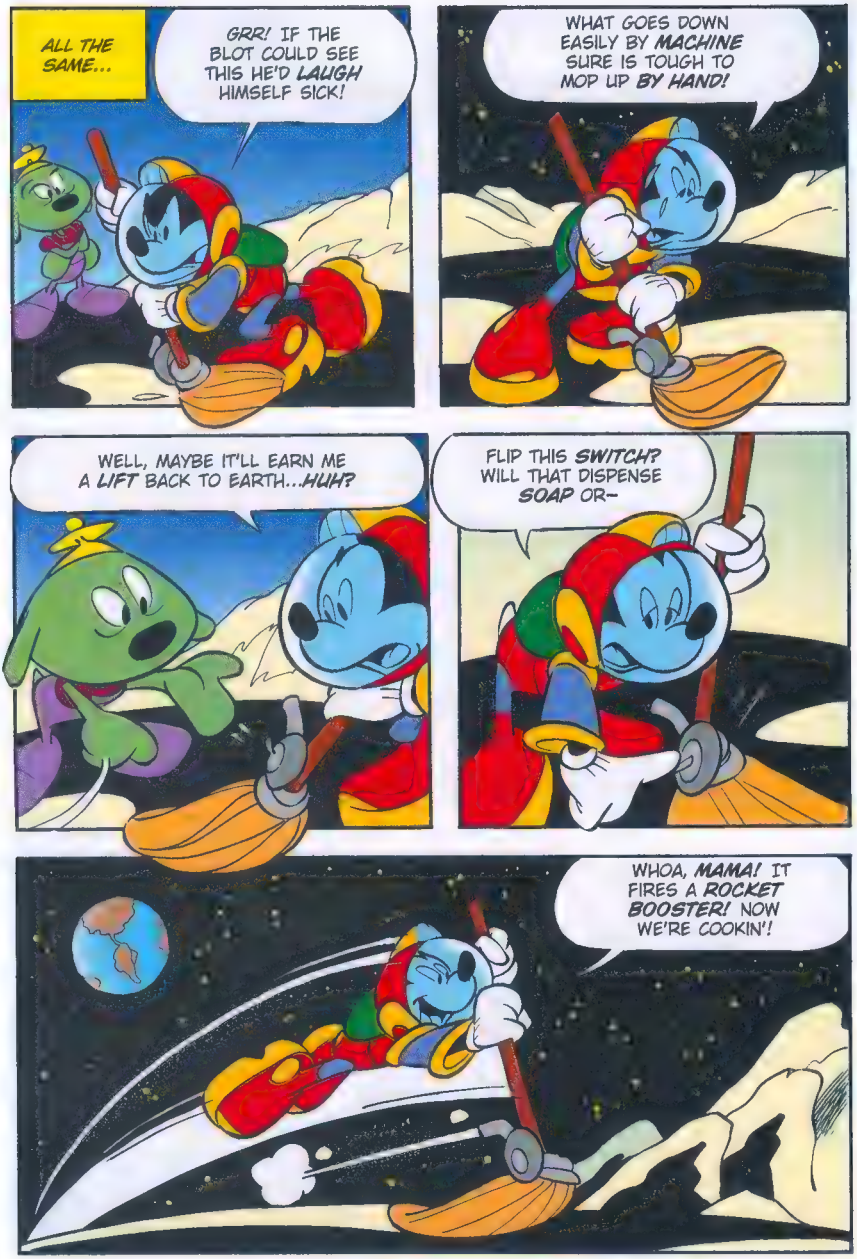
OUTRAN 'EM! AND HERE I WAS WORRIED THE LOW GRAVITY MIGHT EVEN UP THE PACE!
IT NEVER OCCURRED TO THOSE ZOMBIES TO TAKE RUNNING JUMPS!
!!!
GOOFY! GREAT! YOU CAN HELP ME ESCAPE!
WHAT AM I THINKING? YOU'RE STILL A ZOMBIE!
HOW PERFECT THAT MICKEY MOUSE SHOULD BE CAPTURED BY ONE OF HIS OWN FRIENDS! AH-HA-HA!

I FIGURED GOOFY WOULD BRING ME TO WHOEVER WAS RESPONSIBLE!
THE PHANTOM BLOT! I SHOULDA KNOWN THIS WAS YOUR DOING!
YES, AS IS THIS ANTASIAN DEATH-GRIP I'VE JUST PUT ON YOU!
I COULD END IT ALL FOR YOU IN A SECOND - BUT MY SENSITIVE SOUL CAN'T BEAR THE THOUGHT!
JUST A SQUEEZE, THOUGH, KNOCKS YOU OUT! THAT'LL DO!
FLOP!

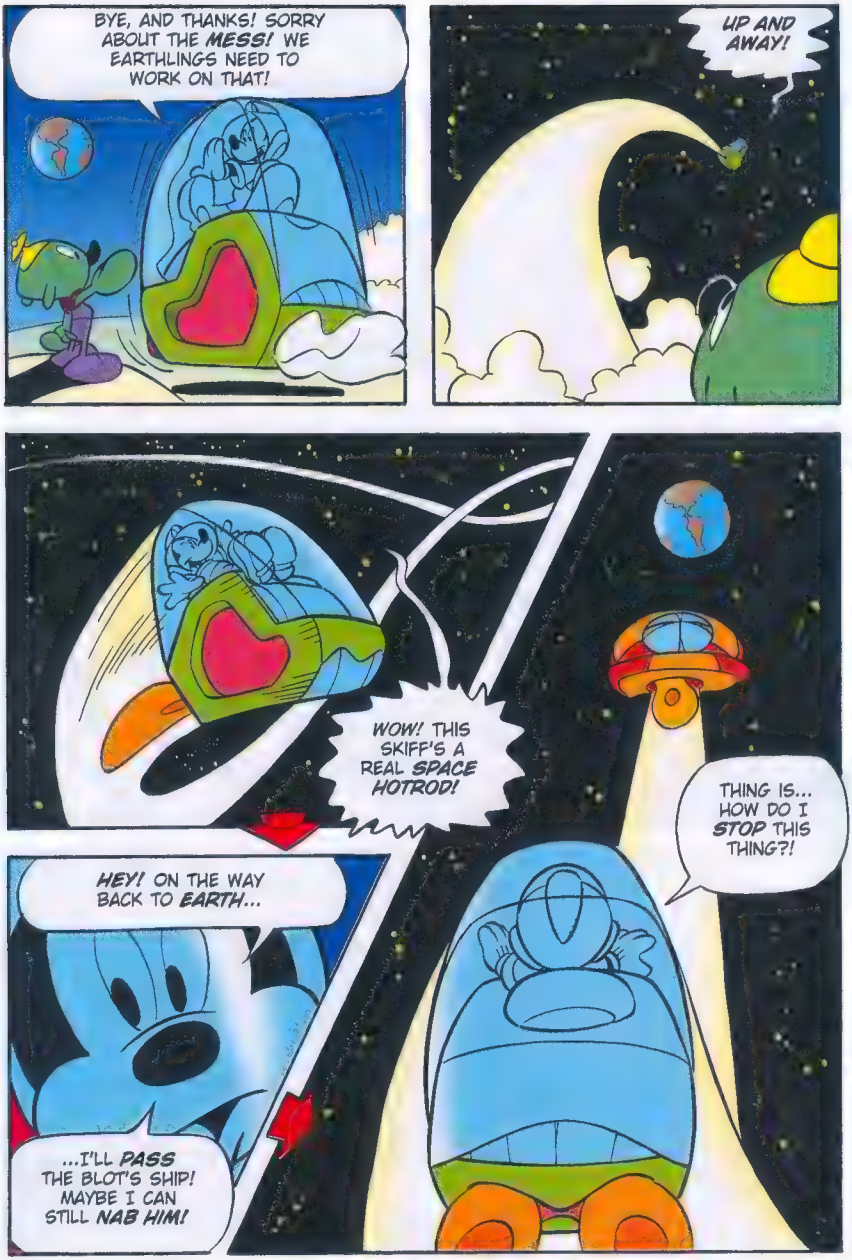
MUCH LATER...
WHEW! FEEL LIKE I'VE BEEN HIT BY A TRUCK!
THE SHIP – IT'S LEAVING! I'M MAROONED!
HOW DO I GET OUT OF THIS FIX? MAYBE IF I USE MY BOOTS TO PAINT A GIANT HELP SIGN?
NO GOOD! THERE'S NO MORE PAINT!
THAT'S NOT THE WORST OF IT! THERE'S NO MORE OXYGEN, EITHER!
OXYGEN LEVEL- EMPTY


MAYBE HE'S DONE IT! THE BLOT'S FINALLY WON!
IS THIS IT, THEN? GASP! AM I A GONER?
EYESIGHT'S... GETTING... BLURRY...
I'M...STARTING TO SEE THINGS...LIKE AN...ALIEN!
BUT WH... WHAT'S HE... GASP!...DOIN'?
HEY, I CAN BREATHE! THE ALIEN'S GIVING ME OXYGEN!


THANKS, PAL! YOU GOT TO ME IN THE NICK OF TIME! I WAS ABOUT...
WHAT? I DON'T UNDERSTAND! SOMETHING ABOUT THE BIG INKBLOT?
I DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU'RE GETTING AT, BUT THOSE LOOK KIND OF LIKE CLEANING SUPPLIES!
AH, I GET IT! YOU WANT ME TO CLEAN UP THE MESS! IT WASN'T MY DOING...
...THOUGH I CONTRIBUTED!


ALL THE SAME...
GRR! IF THE BLOT COULD SEE THIS HE'D LAUGH HIMSELF SICK!
WHAT GOES DOWN EASILY BY MACHINE SURE IS TOUGH TO MOP UP BY HAND!
WELL, MAYBE IT'LL EARN ME A LIFT BACK TO EARTH...HUH?
FLIP THIS SWITCH? WILL THAT DISPENSE SOAP OR–
WHOA, MAMA! IT FIRES A ROCKET BOOSTER! NOW WE'RE COOKIN'!

THE MOON IS SOON PRISTINE ONCE MORE...
THAT WAS ACTUALLY FUN! JUST GOTTA DUMP THESE EMPTY PAINT CANS IN THE TRASH!
SO YOU LIKE MY WORK, EH? I KNOW YOU SAVED MY LIFE, BUT DO YOU THINK YOU COULD ALSO...
...HELP ME GET BACK TO EARTH?
HEY! DON'T GET SORE! I JUST THOUGHT—
OH, I GET IT! THIS TRASH BIN'S ALSO A SPACE SKIFF!


BYE, AND THANKS! SORRY ABOUT THE MESS! WE EARTHLINGS NEED TO WORK ON THAT!
UP AND AWAY!
WOW! THIS SKIFF'S A REAL SPACE HOTROD!
THING IS... HOW DO I STOP THIS THING?!
HEY! ON THE WAY BACK TO EARTH...
...I'LL PASS THE BLOT'S SHIP! MAYBE I CAN STILL NAB HIM!

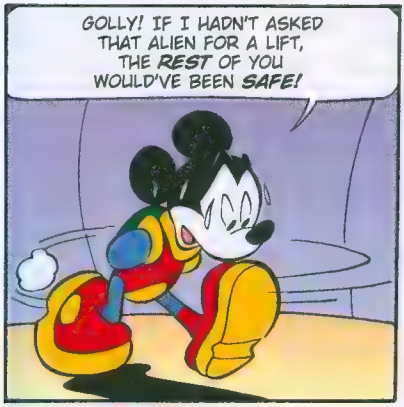
MEANWHILE...
IF I CAN LOCATE A PAINT STORE, THERE'S STILL ENOUGH FUEL TO RETURN TO THE MOON AND REDO THE BLOT!
BUT THEN...
AN OBJECT'S HEADED TOWARDS ME FROM THE MOON! IT'S...IT'S...
"...THAT BLASTED MOUSE!"
OMIGOSH, I'M GONNA HIT!
KRAAAAM!

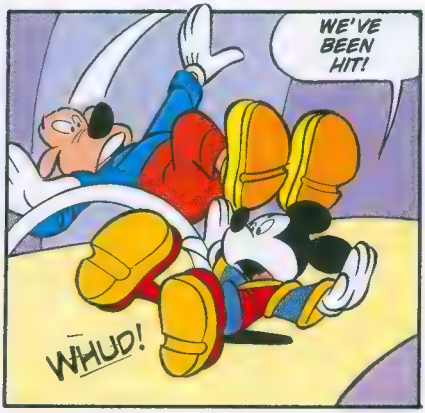
WHEW! WHAT A WILD RIDE THAT WAS!
BUT I'M BACK, BLOT!
THE FOOL'S WRECKED MY NAVIGATION SYSTEM! I'LL HAVE TO ABANDON SHIP...
...BUT I CAN STILL MAKE HIM PAY FOR HIS INTERFERENCE! LOOK AND BECOME MY ZOMBIE!
I KNOW THIS TRICK! THE POINT IS NOT TO LOOK!
LOOK, CURSE YOU! THERE ISN'T MUCH TIME!
TOO LATE! I'VE GOTTA GET OUT OF HERE NOW!
CLICK!

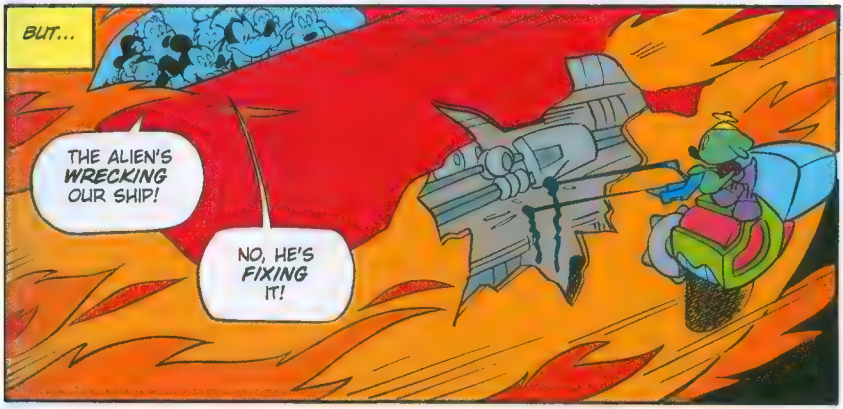
WHAT'S HE UP TO?
A SHAME THERE'S ONLY ROOM FOR ONE IN MY ESCAPE POD! HEH-HEH!
THIS PLOT MAY HAVE FAILED, BUT THE BLOT WILL RETURN!
UH-OH! THE FIEND'S BAILING OUT!
THAT INFERNAL MOUSE IS CLIMBING INTO THE SHIP! WELL, NO MATTER!

BECAUSE...
NONE OF THE CONTROLS ARE WORKING, AND WE'RE HITTING THE EARTH'S ATMOSPHERE!
WE'LL BURN UP!
WHUH- WHERE AM I?
I DREAMT I WAS PAINTING THE MOON!
WHY'S IT SO HOT IN HERE?
I'M GLAD THET NIGHTMARE'S OVER! HEY, MICKEY!
DON'T BE RELIEVED YET! WE'RE IN A BURNING SPACESHIP!
YIKES!

I DON'T WANT TO DIE!
ME NEITHER! I JUST WANTED A JOB!
SOMEONE'S GOT TO DO SOMETHING!


GOLLY! IF I HADN'T ASKED THAT ALIEN FOR A LIFT, THE REST OF YOU WOULD'VE BEEN SAFE!


WE'VE BEEN HIT!
WHUD!


BUT...
THE ALIEN'S WRECKING OUR SHIP!
NO, HE'S FIXING IT!

THE NAVIGATION SYSTEM'S WORKING AGAIN! WE'RE SAVED!
SOME KIND OF TRANSLATOR...
REMEMBER TO CLEAN UP AFTER YOURSELVES NEXT TIME!
WE WILL, I PROMISE!
SHORTLY...
SO THE BLOT USED US TO PUT A BLOT ON THE MOON?
YEP! HE PLANNED TO HYPNOTIZE EVERYONE ON EARTH THAT WAY!
USING THAT PAINT WE ANALYZED! AMAZING!

WELL, I THINK IT WAS JUST A DREAM!
HEH! DON'T BLAME YOU! I HALF DON'T BELIEVE IT ALL MYSELF!
MEANWHILE, SOMEWHERE IN THE PACIFIC...
I WAS SO CLOSE! BUT ONE DAY I'LL GET MICKEY MOUSE... AND THE WORLD!

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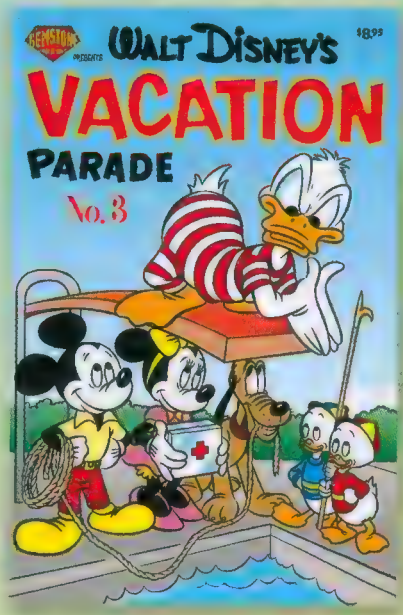

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SHIVER ME FROZEN TAILFEATHERS!

TWO FROSTY TALES FROM THE SNOWY BADLANDS OF THE YUKON!

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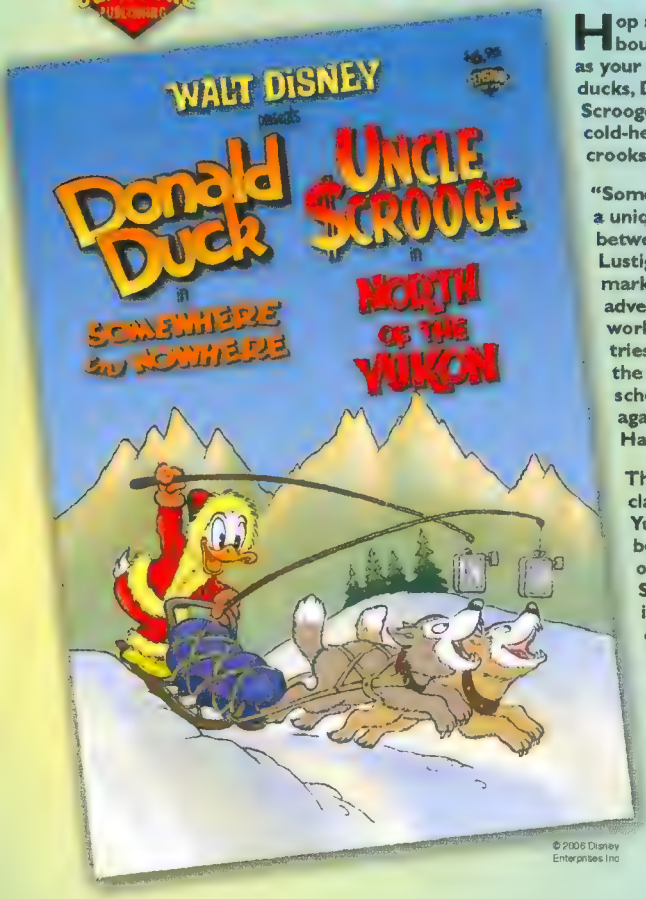

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DUCKBURG, 3:47 AM. IT'S BEEN A LOOONG NIGHT'S VIGILANCE...
IT'S GETTING LATE! THEY SHOULD'VE BEEN HERE HOURS AGO!
DUCK AVENGER
LEGACY
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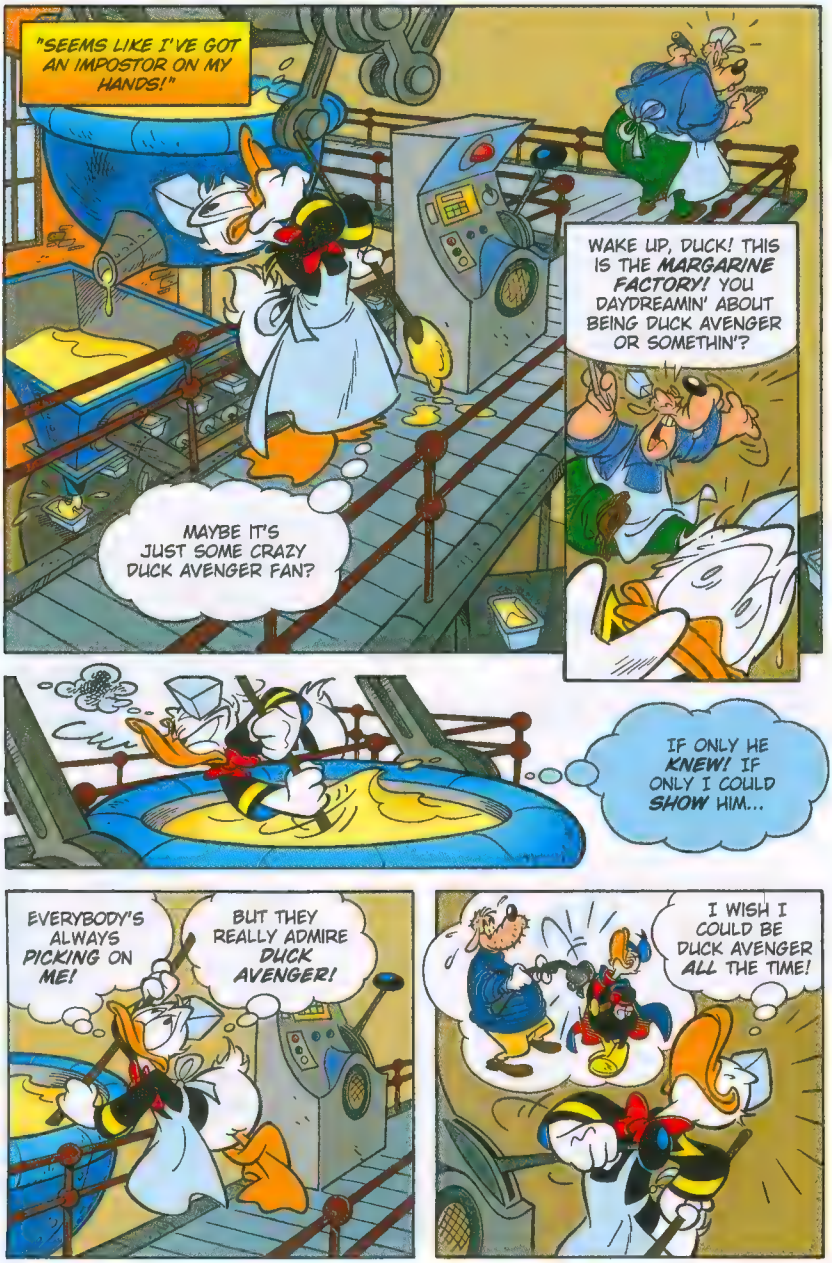
EITHER GYRO'S POWER-GLOVE HASN'T GOT THE RIGHT TIME, OR THE FUR GANG OUTSMARTED ME!
I'LL OPT FOR EQUIPMENT FAILURE...
CLICK
...'CAUSE NO WAY HABITUAL CROOKS LIKE THE FUR GANG...
...CAN OUTSMART DUCK AVENGER!
SHTUK
HABITUAL MEANS PUNCTUAL, THOUGH...
SO WHY AREN'T THEY HERE, DOING THEIR USUAL HEIST?
BETTER HAVE ANOTHER LOOK-SEE!

HUH?!
THE FUR GANG!
ARGH! THERE HE IS AGAIN!
FERSTEIN FURS INC.
THIS ISN'T FAIR! YOU CAN'T BEAT US UP TWICE!
WHATTAYA MEAN "TWICE"?
LIKE YOU DON'T KNOW! THAT WIMP ACT HAD US FOOLED!
FUN TO SEE YOU COWER FOR ONCE, THOUGH! HEH!
BUT SNEAKING UP AND CLOBBERING US FROM BEHIND? NOT FUN!
YEAH, THAT WAS LOW - EVEN FOR YOU!
HMM...THEY THINK I CAUGHT THEM IN THE FIRST PLACE.


"SEEMS LIKE I'VE GOT AN IMPOSTOR ON MY HANDS!"
MAYBE IT'S JUST SOME CRAZY DUCK AVENGER FAN?
WAKE UP, DUCK! THIS IS THE MARGARINE FACTORY! YOU DAYDREAMIN' ABOUT BEING DUCK AVENGER OR SOMETHIN'?
IF ONLY HE KNEW! IF ONLY I COULD SHOW HIM...
EVERYBODY'S ALWAYS PICKING ON ME!
BUT THEY REALLY ADMIRE DUCK AVENGER!
I WISH I COULD BE DUCK AVENGER ALL THE TIME!

BUT THEN EVERYBODY WOULD REALIZE I WAS...
OOPS!
SPLAF
SO YOU THINK MARGARINE MAKES A GOOD FACIAL?!
LET ME SHOW YOU IT'S WHOLE BODY QUALITIES!
SPLOOF
DUCKBURG, 5:04 PM. IT'S BEEN A LOOONG DAY...
AND A PERFECTLY ROTTEN ONE TO BOOT!
ONLY GOOD THING IS, IT CAN'T GET ANY WORSE!

MY, THAT'S LUCKY! YOU NEARLY BUMPED INTO THAT FINE GENTLEMAN!
GLADSTONE! I SHOULD'VE KNOWN!
OH, HELLO DONALD!
AND GOODBYE! I CAN'T DEAL WITH YOUR BRAND OF LUCK RIGHT NOW!
IF ONLY YOU KNEW...
...HOW EVERY NIGHT I'VE BEEN LIVING A WAKING NIGHTMARE!
I THINK MY LUCK'S KAPUT!
NOW IF YOU'LL EXCUSE ME...GOTTA GET SOME PROPER FOOD BEFORE MY NIGHTMARE RESUMES.
AND I DON'T MEAN COLD LENTILS! SHUDDER!
HUH! HE HASN'T SEEN THE BILL, YET!

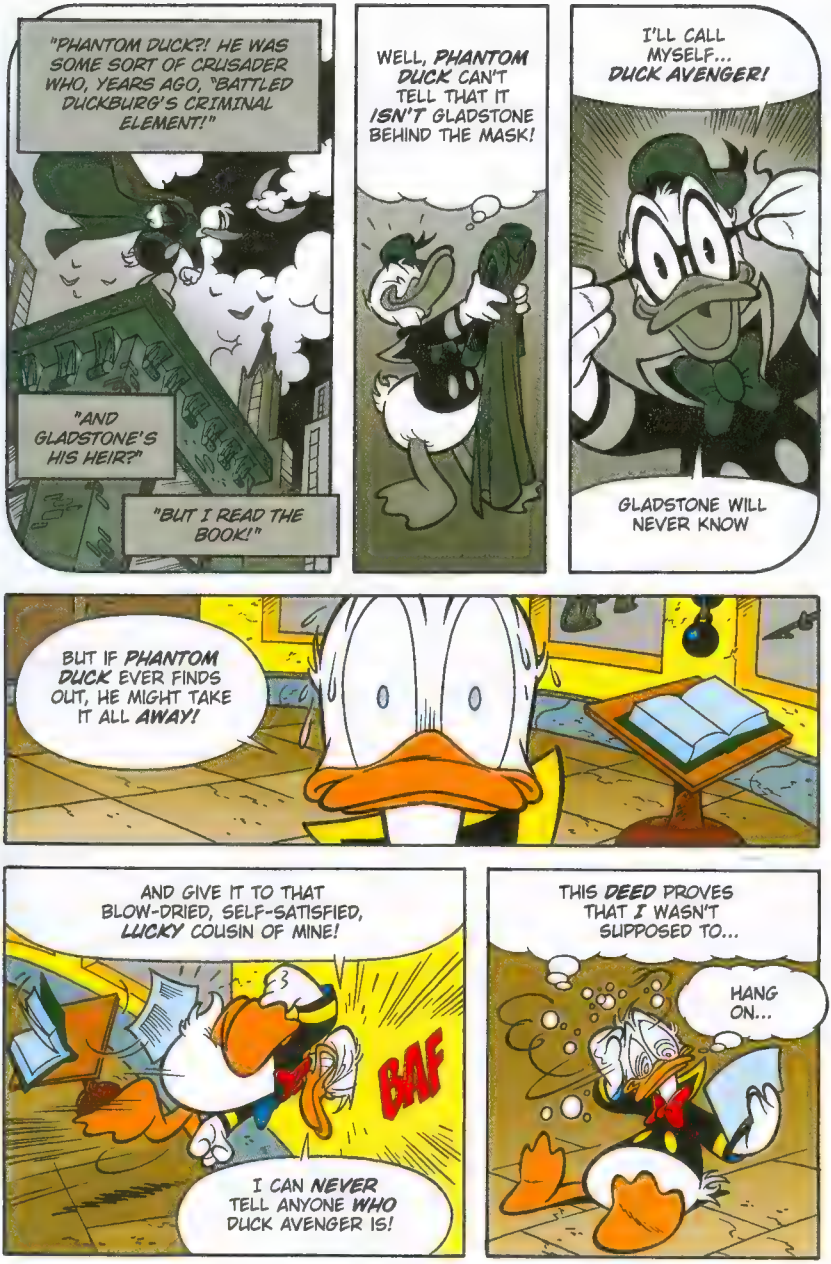
HEH! HEH!
YOU FOUND MY LUCKY DOLLAR BILL! HERE'S A NICE REWARD!
BONK
OH MY! HOW CLUMSY I AM TODAY!
ENOUGH IS ENOUGH! I'M GONNA SHOW YOU!
THIS IS NO WAY TO TREAT DU–

GULP! WHAT AM I DOING?!
GET A GRIP, DONALD! REMEMBER, HE'S WATCHING!
ARE YOU ALL RIGHT, DONALD?
MAYBE YOU'RE GETTING ENOUGH SLEEP, EITHER?
GRUMPH! IT'S BEING NEAR YOU THAT MAKES MY BRAIN BOIL!
A 100 DOLLAR BILL! I CAN HAVE DINNER, AT LEAST!
DUCK AVENGER NEVER GETS A POT DUMPED ON HIS HEAD - TWICE!
DONALD DUCK
DUCK AVENGER NEVER GETS A MARGARINE BATH!
CLICK
AND DUCK AVENGER NEVER ALMOST REVEALS HIS SECRET IDENTITY IN FRONT OF GLADSTONE!

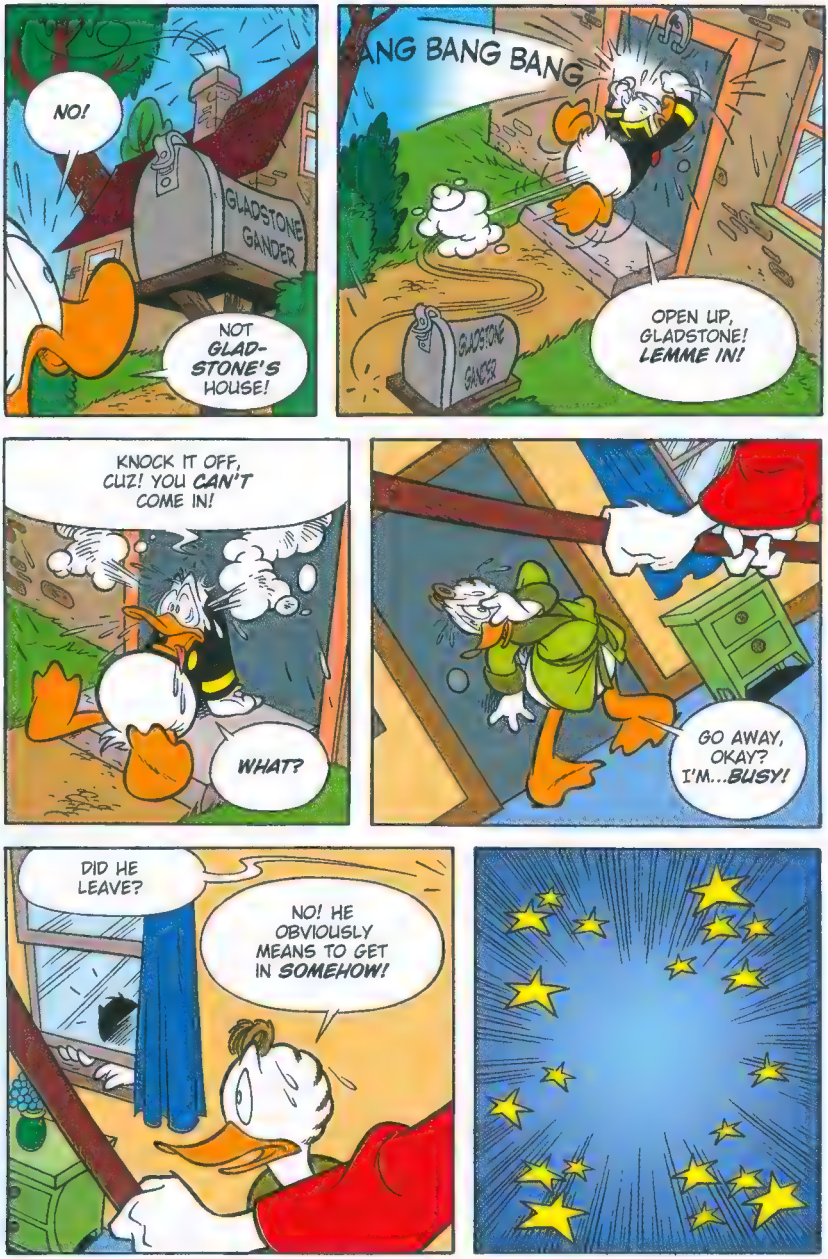
IN FACT, I DO MOST EVERYTHING *RIGHT* WHEN I WEAR THE *COSTUME!*
WHEN I'M IN IT, I'M... *DIFFERENT!*
BUT *OUT* OF THE COSTUME, I...
WHY, I ALMOST *SPILLED THE BEANS* TODAY!
I'VE GOTTA WATCH IT, 'CAUSE I KNOW WHO'S *OUT THERE!*
THE ONE WHO'S ALWAYS *WATCHING...*

"...SINCE THAT DAY I GOT LUCKY!"
HOORAY! AT LAST I'VE WON SOMETHING! A REAL MANSION!
"LUCK HELPED BY A POSTAL ERROR!"
FROM THE DUCKBURG CITY COUNCIL TO...GLADSTONE GANDER!
THE MAILMAN DELIVERED IT TO ME BY MISTAKE!
"WHAT IF I'D TURNED IT OVER TO GLADSTONE? WHAT IF I'D NEVER GONE OUT TO TAKE A LOOK AT..."
MY MANSION!
PROPERTY OF DUCKBURG CITY COUNCIL
SOME MANSION! IT'S FALLING APART!
WHO'S GONNA FIX IT UP?
YOU, UNCA DONALD?
PROPERTY OF DUCKBURG CITY COUNCIL
SCRAM, YOU BRATS!
HA! HA! HA!

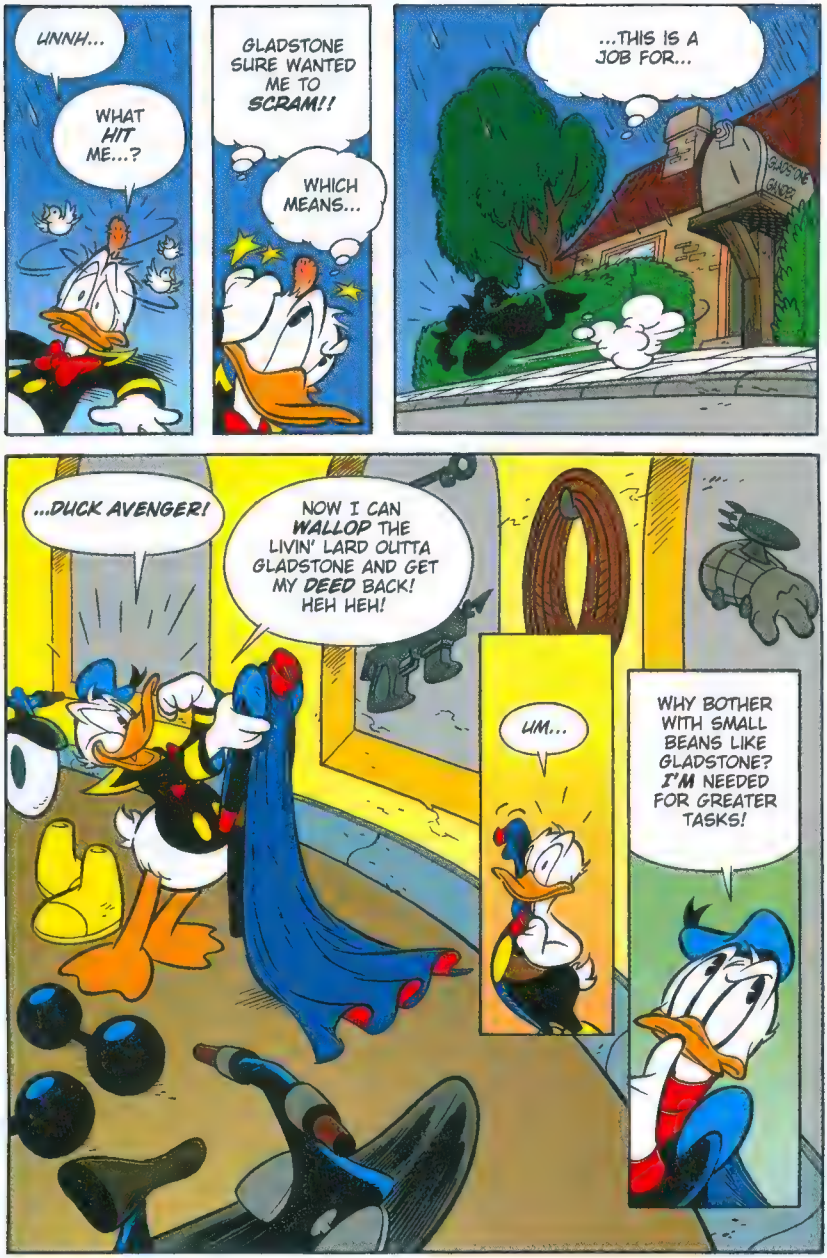
SOME LUCK! NO WONDER GLADSTONE "LOST OUT!"
OPERTY OF DUCKBURG CITY COUNCIL
YAAH!
HUH! A SECRET HIDING-PLACE WITH SOME SORT OF COSTUME... AND A BOOK...
...WITH AN INSCRIPTION...
"YOU WHO READ THIS, HAVE INHERITED MY HOUSE - A MERE FRONT FOR MY LEGACY!"
"THIS BOOK OF SECRETS AND MY NOBLE ROBES WILL GIVE YOU GREAT POWERS! USE THEM WELL...I SHALL ALWAYS BE WATCHING!"
"SIGNED... PHANTOM DUCK"


"PHANTOM DUCK?! HE WAS SOME SORT OF CRUSADER WHO, YEARS AGO, "BATTLED DUCKBURG'S CRIMINAL ELEMENT!"
"AND GLADSTONE'S HIS HEIR?"
"BUT I READ THE BOOK!"
WELL, PHANTOM DUCK CAN'T TELL THAT IT ISN'T GLADSTONE BEHIND THE MASK!
I'LL CALL MYSELF... DUCK AVENGER!
GLADSTONE WILL NEVER KNOW
BUT IF PHANTOM DUCK EVER FINDS OUT, HE MIGHT TAKE IT ALL AWAY!
AND GIVE IT TO THAT BLOW-DRIED, SELF-SATISFIED, LUCKY COUSIN OF MINE!
BAF
I CAN NEVER TELL ANYONE WHO DUCK AVENGER IS!
THIS DEED PROVES THAT I WASN'T SUPPOSED TO...
HANG ON...

I SHOULD'VE BURNED THIS YEARS AGO! MUSTN'T TEMPT FATE...OR GLADSTONE'S LUCK!
WAIT! I STILL MIGHT NEED THIS PAPER!
I MIGHT HAVE TO PRETEND TO BE GLADSTONE TO "PROVE" THAT THE MANSION IS RIGHTFULLY MINE!
SWISSH
AUGH!
GANGWAY, JONESIE! I'VE GOT A PAPER TO CATCH!
OOOF! WATCH IT, DUCK!


NO!
GLADSTONE GANDER
NOT GLAD-STONE'S HOUSE!
ANG BANG BANG
OPEN UP, GLADSTONE! LEMME IN!
KNOCK IT OFF, CUZ! YOU CAN'T COME IN!
WHAT?
GO AWAY, OKAY? I'M...BUSY!
DID HE LEAVE?
NO! HE OBVIOUSLY MEANS TO GET IN SOMEHOW!

WE'LL BE GONE BEFORE HE WAKES UP.
GULP!
HERE, GET DRESSED! WE'RE GOING OUT!
I STILL CAN'T BELIEVE YOU'VE MISPLACED YOUR OWN COSTUME!
I KEEP TELLING YOU I DON'T HAVE A COSTUME!
WHAT'S THIS? A DEED TO THIS MANSION — IN THE NAME OF GLADSTONE GANDER!
GROAN...
HE TRIED TO BURN IT! MAYBE THE COSTUME, TOO?!
DOESN'T MATTER! HE'S NOT GOING TO WIMP OUT ON MY LEGACY!

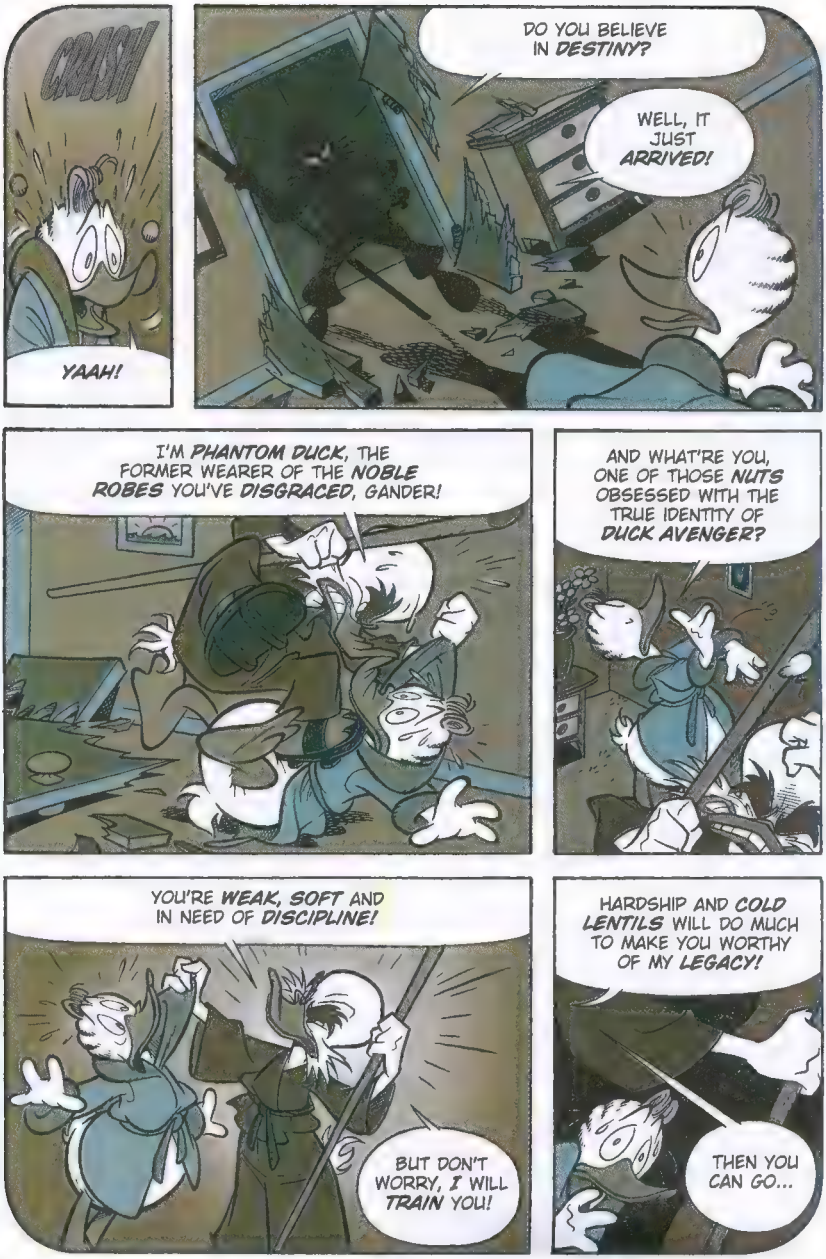

UNNH...
WHAT HIT ME...?
GLADSTONE SURE WANTED ME TO SCRAM!!
WHICH MEANS...
...THIS IS A JOB FOR...
GLADSTONE GHOST
...DUCK AVENGER!
NOW I CAN WALLOP THE LIVIN' LARD OUTTA GLADSTONE AND GET MY DEED BACK! HEH HEH!
UM...
WHY BOTHER WITH SMALL BEANS LIKE GLADSTONE? I'M NEEDED FOR GREATER TASKS!

I'M NOT UP TO THIS! I'M NOT DUCK AVENGER!
HONESTLY!
REALLY?!
WELL, HERE'S PROOF TO THE CONTRARY! THE DEED TO MY MANSION - IN YOUR NAME!
DEED? WHAT DEED? I NEVER HAD A-OUCH!
WHACK
LADY FORTUNE HAS FAVORED YOU, SO BUCK UP AND EAT YOUR COLD LENTILS!
LADY FORTUNE USED TO SMILE ON ME, NOW SHE SNARLS!
YOU ARE LUCKY, KID!
HERE WE ARE IN THE INVIGORATING RAIN ON THE LOOKOUT FOR EVILDOERS!
WHAT BETTER WAY TO SPEND A SATURDAY NIGHT?

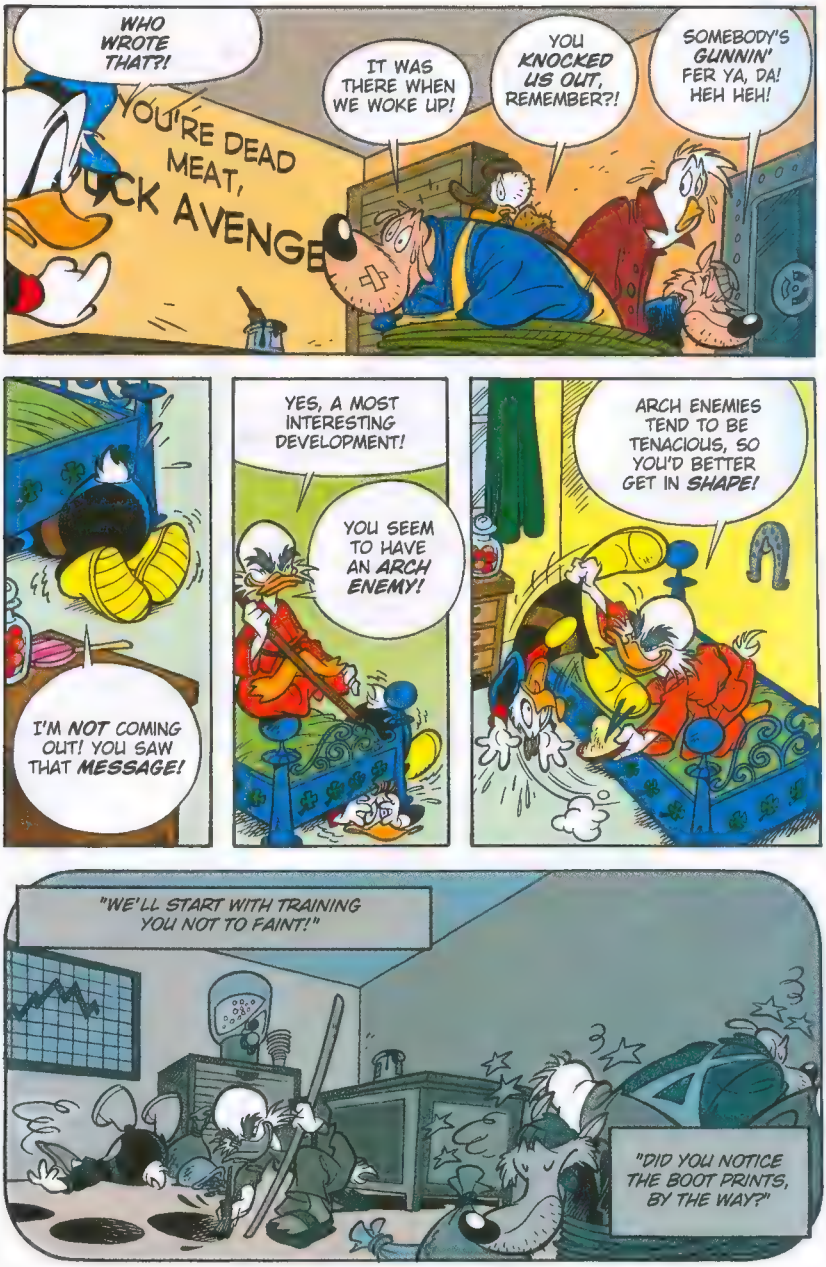
"IT'S DESTINY, KID. YOU CAN'T FIGHT IT!"
"I ALWAYS KNEW DESTINY WOULD TAKE CARE OF THINGS WHEN I RETIRED!"
"I WITHDREW FROM THE WORLD AND LET EVERYONE FORGET MY DEEDS!"
"AN OCCASIONAL MOUNTAINEER WOULD BRING NEWS OF THE WORLD..."
NEWS FEATU
DUCK AVENGER, THE HERO OF DUCKBURG
THOSE ROBES! I HAVE AN HEIR!
"I HAD TO MAKE SURE THIS DUCK AVENGER WAS WORTHY!"
"SO I RETURNED TO MY OLD MANSION..."
PROPERTY OF DUCKBURG CITY COUNCIL
IN RUINS — AND SEIZED BY THE CITY COUNCIL!
"BUT MY LEGACY HAD BEEN FOUND — AND ACTED ON!"
MUST BE THIS DUCK AVENGER!

PERHAPS SOMEDAY I'LL HEAR HOW HE CAME TO ASSUME MY MANTLE!
AH! THE SECRET ENTRANCE TO MY LAIR STILL WORKS!
CREAK
DUSTY...AND NO SIGN OF USE!
MY HEIR MAY NOT HAVE FOUND THIS PLACE!
EVERYTHING'S RIGHT WHERE I LEFT IT!
SO WHERE IS HE BASED?
WELL, THIS EXTRA COSTUME MAY COME IN HANDY!
AS FOR THE CITY COUNCIL...
...THEY MIGHT KNOW WHO WEARS THE COSTUME NOW!
CITY HALL

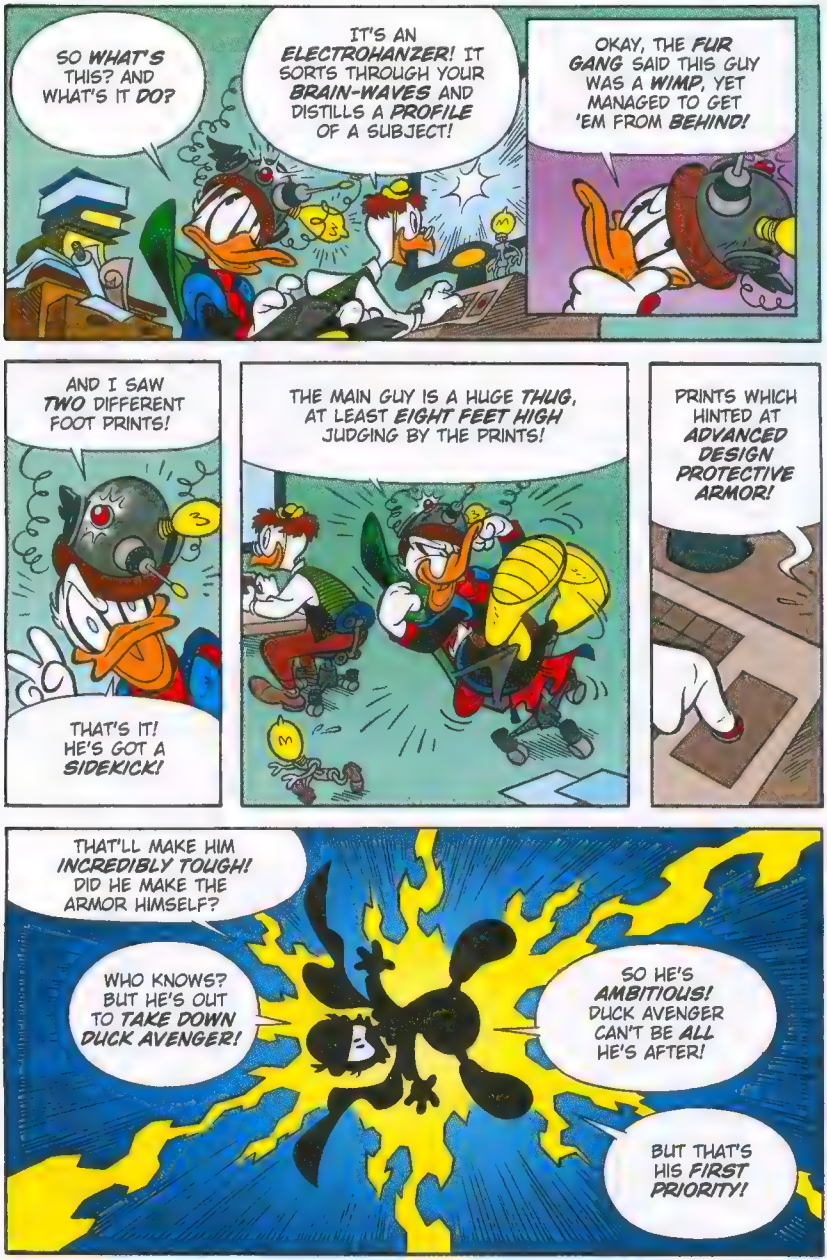
CITY ARCHIVES
SO THE CITY OFFERED MY HOUSE AS A LOTTERY PRIZE AFTER I DEPARTED!
EXCELLENT! SO LADY FORTUNE DID PICK MY SUCCESSOR!
WAIT! HERE'S A NOTE...
"THE DEED AND A KEY HAVE BEEN SENT TO THE LOTTERY WINNER..."
"...GLADSTONE GANDER!"
GAH! THIS LAYABOUT'S MY SUCCESSOR?!
LADY FORTUNE'S FOULED UP BIG TIME!!


CRASH
YAAH!
DO YOU BELIEVE IN DESTINY?
WELL, IT JUST ARRIVED!
I'M PHANTOM DUCK, THE FORMER WEARER OF THE NOBLE ROBES YOU'VE DISGRACED, GANDER!
AND WHAT'RE YOU, ONE OF THOSE NUTS OBSESSED WITH THE TRUE IDENTITY OF DUCK AVENGER?
YOU'RE WEAK, SOFT AND IN NEED OF DISCIPLINE!
BUT DON'T WORRY, I WILL TRAIN YOU!
HARDSHIP AND COLD LENTILS WILL DO MUCH TO MAKE YOU WORTHY OF MY LEGACY!
THEN YOU CAN GO...

"...BEAT UP THE BAD GUYS!"
THAT DRATTED DO-GOODER! WHY DOES HE ALWAYS HORN IN?!
YEOW!
WHAT THE DICKENS HAPPENED HERE?!
C'MON JEROME, SPILL IT!
WE MADE BAIL, THEN YOU PULLED THAT STUNT AGAIN! IT'S NOT FAIR!
LET ME GUESS...
I ARRIVED, ACTED LIKE A WIMP, AND WHEN YOU WERE OFF GUARD I BEAT YOU UP?
YOU KNOW YOU DID! HIT US FROM BEHIND, TOO!
HEY, WHAT'S...
YOU'RE DEAD MEAT, DUCK AVENGER!
GULP!


WHO WROTE THAT?!
YOU'RE DEAD MEAT,
CK AVENGE
IT WAS THERE WHEN WE WOKE UP!
YOU KNOCKED US OUT, REMEMBER?!
SOMEBODY'S GUNNIN' FER YA, DA! HEH HEH!
I'M NOT COMING OUT! YOU SAW THAT MESSAGE!
YES, A MOST INTERESTING DEVELOPMENT!
YOU SEEM TO HAVE AN ARCH ENEMY!
ARCH ENEMIES TEND TO BE TENACIOUS, SO YOU'D BETTER GET IN SHAPE!
"WE'LL START WITH TRAINING YOU NOT TO FAINT!"
"DID YOU NOTICE THE BOOT PRINTS, BY THE WAY?"

BOOT PRINTS IN THE PAINT! BIG ONES...
...AND FAINT, SMALLER ONES, TOO!
MAYBE IT'S TIME TO SEE...
"...GYRO GEARLOOSE!"
AN ARCH ENEMY? DO YOU THINK HE KNOWS?
THAT DUCK AVENGER IS DONALD DUCK? I DOUBT IT!
BUT THIS BRUISER LOOKS ENOUGH LIKE ME TO FOOL YOUR BASIC CROOK!
AND HE APPEARS TO BE VERY STRONG! OUTSIDE OF THAT, THOUGH...
...I DON'T KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT THIS GUY!
MAYBE ONE OF THE DEVICES I'VE BUILT FROM YOUR BOOK OF SECRETS MIGHT HELP!

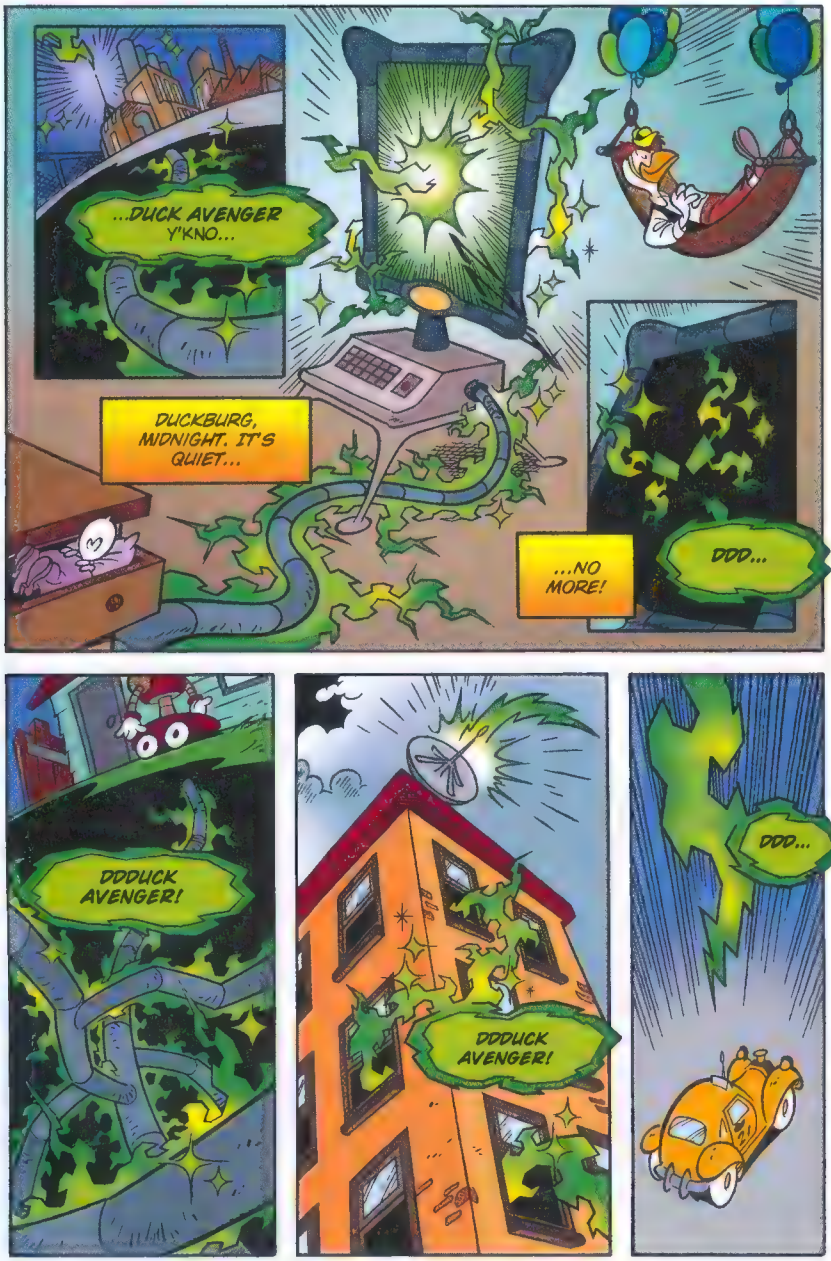

SO WHAT'S THIS? AND WHAT'S IT DO?
IT'S AN ELECTROHANZER! IT SORTS THROUGH YOUR BRAIN-WAVES AND DISTILLS A PROFILE OF A SUBJECT!
OKAY, THE FUR GANG SAID THIS GUY WAS A WIMP, YET MANAGED TO GET 'EM FROM BEHIND!
AND I SAW TWO DIFFERENT FOOT PRINTS!
THAT'S IT! HE'S GOT A SIDEKICK!
THE MAIN GUY IS A HUGE THUG, AT LEAST EIGHT FEET HIGH JUDGING BY THE PRINTS!
PRINTS WHICH HINTED AT ADVANCED DESIGN PROTECTIVE ARMOR!
THAT'LL MAKE HIM INCREDIBLY TOUGH! DID HE MAKE THE ARMOR HIMSELF?
WHO KNOWS? BUT HE'S OUT TO TAKE DOWN DUCK AVENGER!
SO HE'S AMBITIOUS! DUCK AVENGER CAN'T BE ALL HE'S AFTER!
BUT THAT'S HIS FIRST PRIORITY!

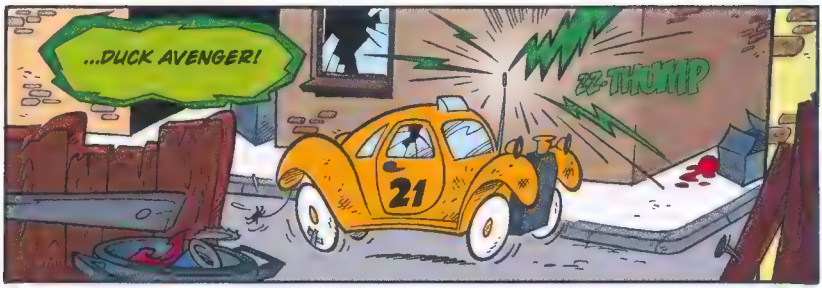
AND I HAVE TO ASSUME HE'LL STOP AT NOTHING!
THIS GUY IS A REAL NEMESIS!
YOU FIGURE ALL THAT FROM BOOT PRINTS AND BEATEN UP, SECOND RATE CROOKS?
YOU DON'T READ A LOT OF COMIC BOOKS, DO YOU?
WOW!
WE COULD ALMOST BE TWINS!
ER...I GUESS.

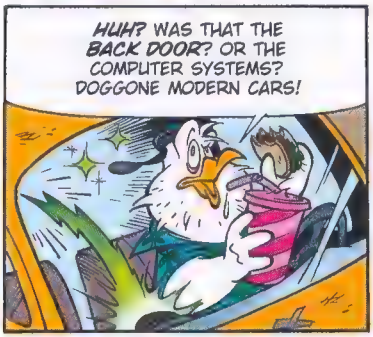
DUCKBURG, 10:47 PM. A QUIET EVENING...
CAN'T DO MUCH ABOUT THAT NEMESIS TILL HE STRIKES AGAIN!
SO I'LL CATCH UP ON CHOW AND SLEEP!
AH, CAREFREE LIFE...
GULP!
I ALMOST FORGOT THAT GLADSTONE'S GOT THE DEED TO THE MANSION!
HE'LL TAKE DUCK AVENGER'S LEGACY FROM ME THE MINUTE HE READS IT!
BUT MAYBE THERE'S STILL TIME!
WHAT I NEED IS A PLAN TO GET INTO GLADSTONE'S HOUSE...
"...SOMETHING SMART AND SUBTLE!"
I'LL GET THAT DEED, DO OR DIE!
CRACK
KRAAM
CRUNCH
GLADSTONE GANDER

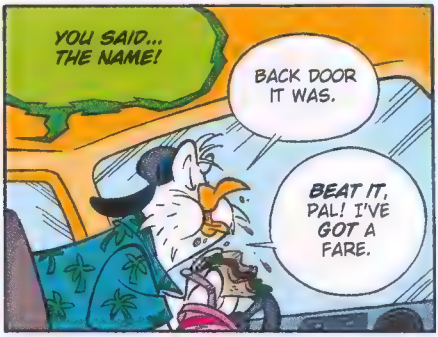
WHAT EXACTLY DO YOU THINK *YOU'RE* DOING?
HUH?!
I'M...ER... *FIXING* THE ROOF.
BIG *HOLE* HERE...
PERSISTENT FELLOW, YOUR COUSIN!
MAYBE I SHOULD TRAIN *HIM* INSTEAD OF *YOU!*
DONALD AS *DUCK AVENGER?!* THAT'S A LAUGH!
THEN LET'S GO! IT'S TIME TO *TEST* YOUR WINGS!
DESTINY AWAITS – AT THE *DUCKBURG SHIP YARDS!*

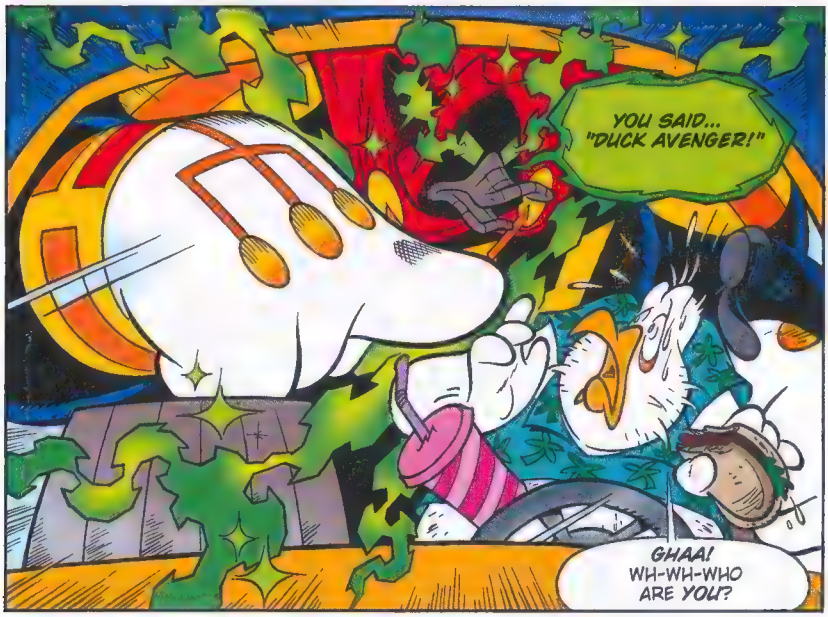
..BURG SHIP YARDS.. DUCKBURG SHIP YARDS..
URGH...
SOME GUY SAID... DUCKBURG SHIP YARD...
THIS IS TROUBLE I SURE CAN'T HANDLE...
GUSTAVE GANDER
...SO IT'S A JOB FOR DUCK AVENGER!
HACK 21! ARE YOU THERE?
THERE'S A FARE WAITING AT EIDER AVENUE 10.
21! RESPOND NOW!
OKAY, CALM DOWN! I AIN'T DUCK AVENGER, Y'KNOW!
...AIN'T DUCK AVENGER...

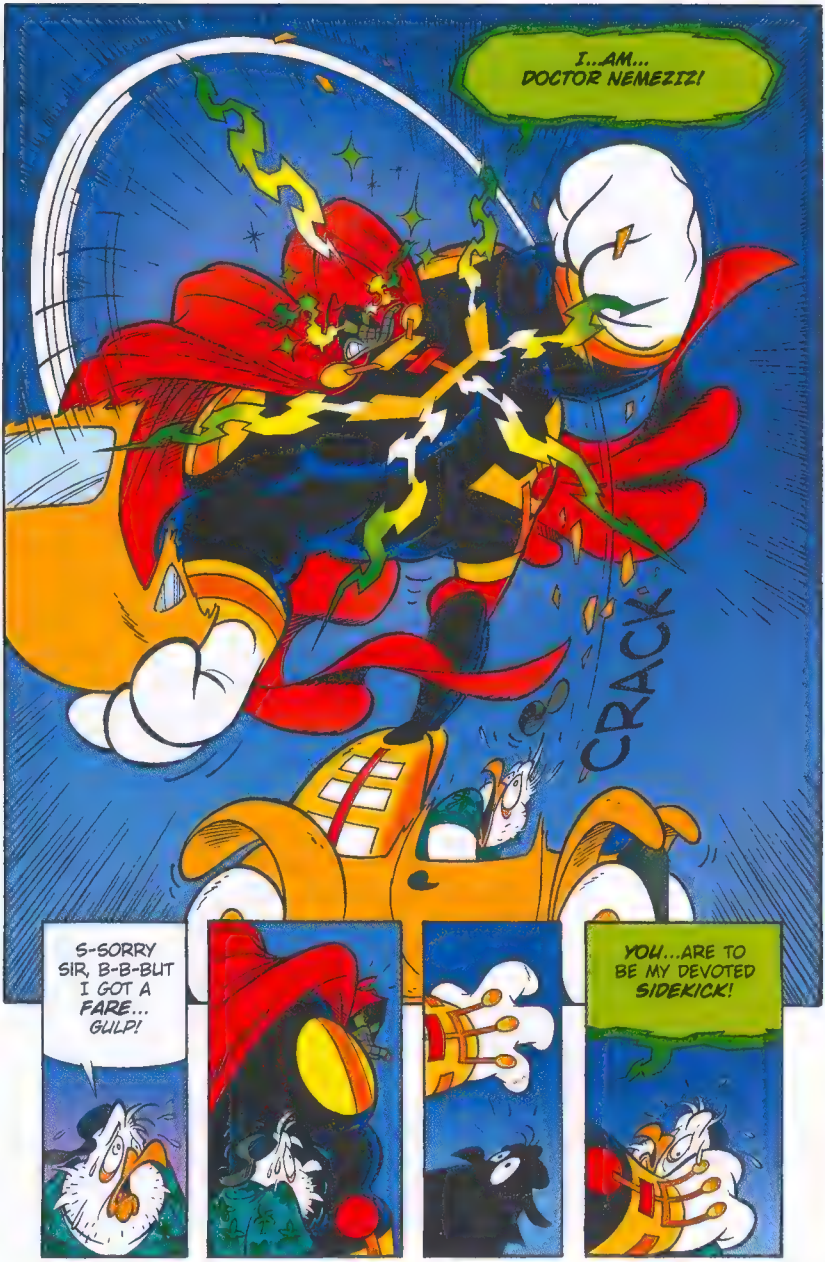

...DUCK AVENGER Y'KNO...
DUCKBURG, MIDNIGHT. IT'S QUIET...
...NO MORE!
DDD...
DDDUCK AVENGER!
DDDUCK AVENGER!
DDD...

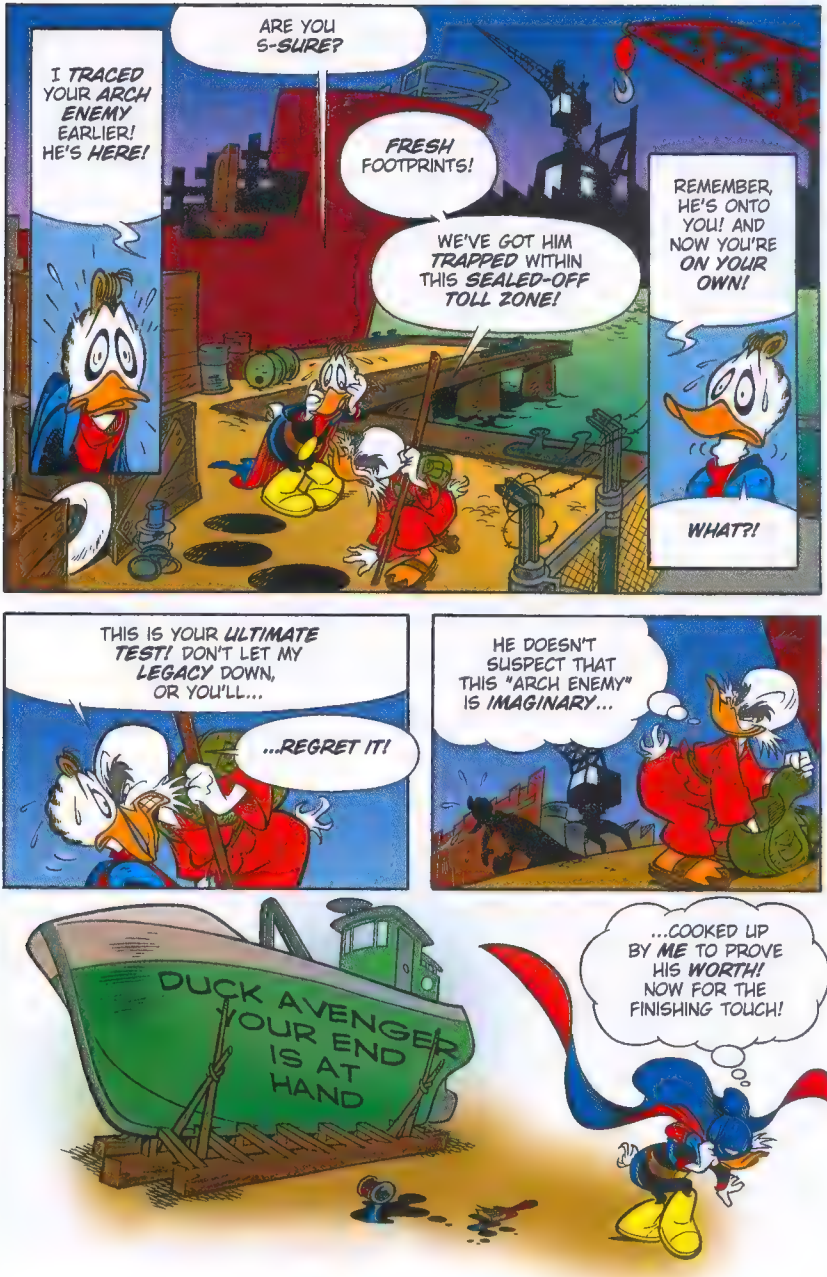

...DUCK AVENGER!
21
THUMP


HUH? WAS THAT THE BACK DOOR? OR THE COMPUTER SYSTEMS? DOGGONE MODERN CARS!

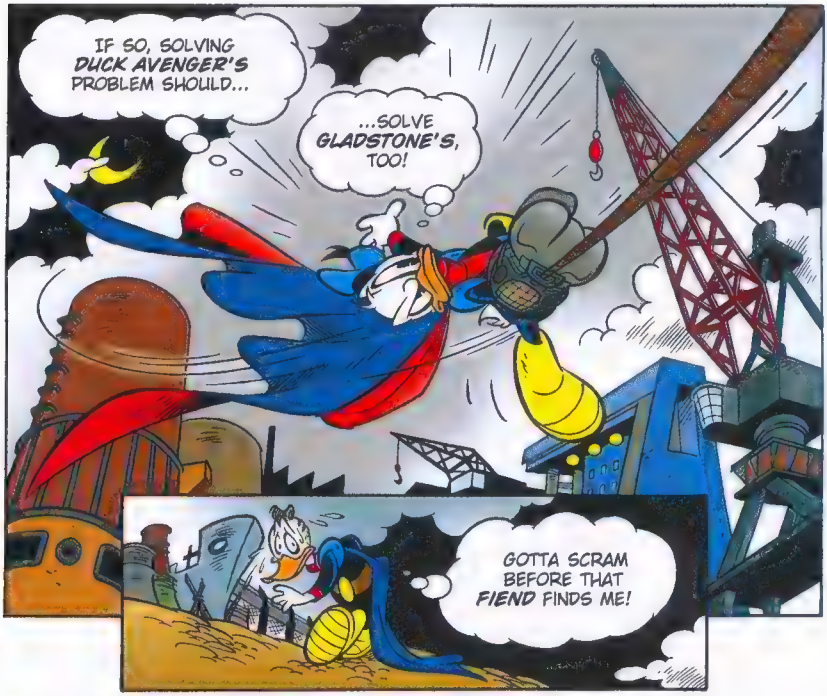

YOU SAID... THE NAME!
BACK DOOR IT WAS.
BEAT IT, PAL! I'VE GOT A FARE.


YOU SAID... "DUCK AVENGER!"
GHAA! WH-WH-WHO ARE YOU?

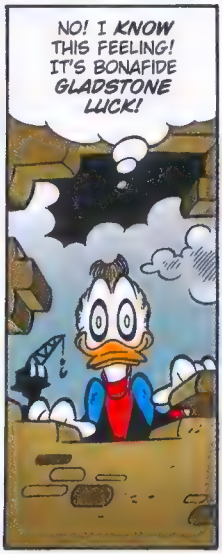

I...AM... DOCTOR NEMEZIZ!
CRACK
S-SORRY SIR, B-B-BUT I GOT A FARE... GULP!
YOU...ARE TO BE MY DEVOTED SIDEKICK!


I TRACED YOUR ARCH ENEMY EARLIER! HE'S HERE!
ARE YOU S-SURE?
FRESH FOOTPRINTS!
WE'VE GOT HIM TRAPPED WITHIN THIS SEALED-OFF TOLL ZONE!
REMEMBER, HE'S ONTO YOU! AND NOW YOU'RE ON YOUR OWN!
WHAT?!
THIS IS YOUR ULTIMATE TEST! DON'T LET MY LEGACY DOWN, OR YOU'LL...
...REGRET IT!
HE DOESN'T SUSPECT THAT THIS "ARCH ENEMY" IS IMAGINARY...
DUCK AVENGER YOUR END IS AT HAND
...COOKED UP BY ME TO PROVE HIS WORTH! NOW FOR THE FINISHING TOUCH!

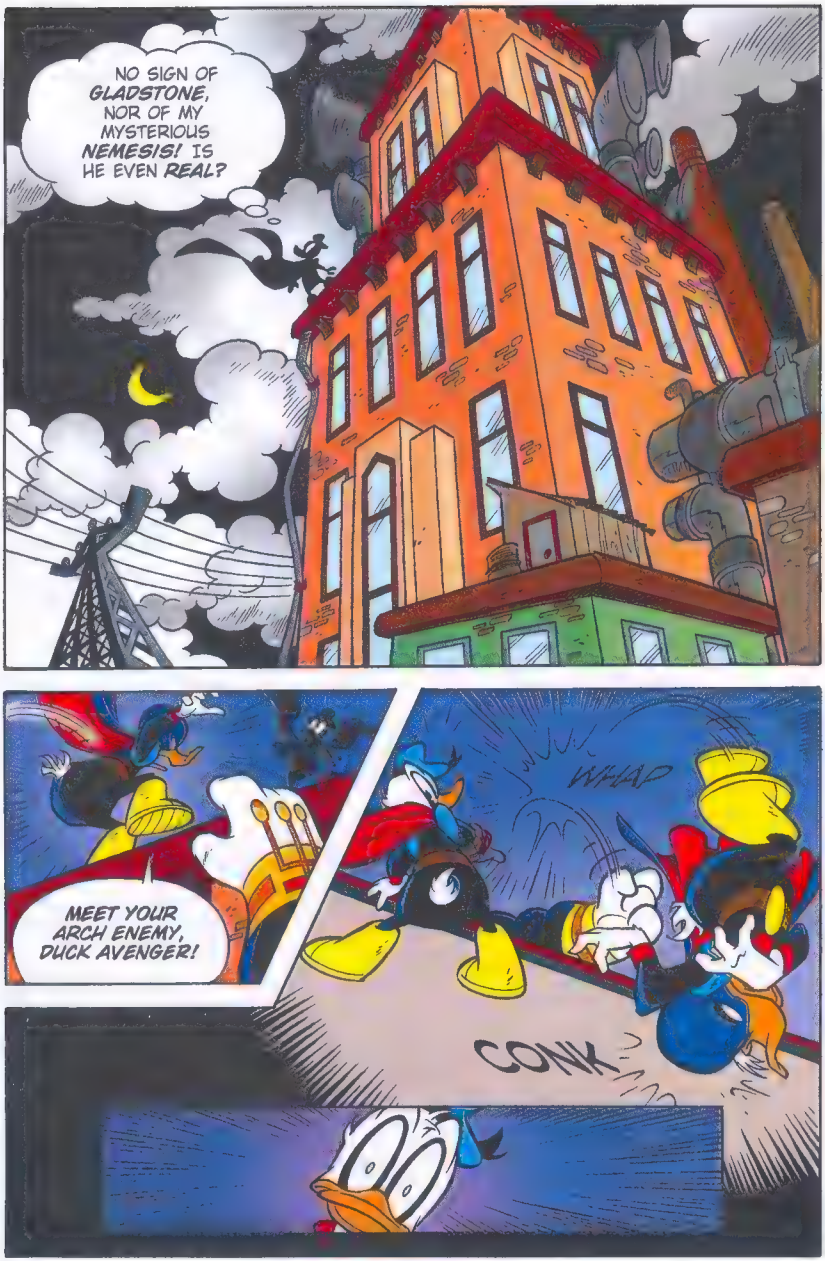
SORRY, THIS IS AS FAR AS I CAN TAKE YOU.
CAN I GO NOW?
I SENSE HE IS IN THERE!
IT'S AS IF I HAVE BEEN INSIDE HIS MIND...
NO DOUBT ANOTHER OF MY SPLENDID SUPERPOWERS!
CRACK
THIS WAY, SIDEKICK!
AWP! YES SIR!
DUCK AVENGER, YOUR END IS AT HAND!
THE PAINT'S STILL WET! NEMESIS WAS JUST HERE...
...SO HE'S GOTTA BE CONNECTED TO GLADSTONE SOMEHOW!


IF SO, SOLVING DUCK AVENGER'S PROBLEM SHOULD...
...SOLVE GLADSTONE'S, TOO!
GOTTA SCRAM BEFORE THAT FIEND FINDS ME!

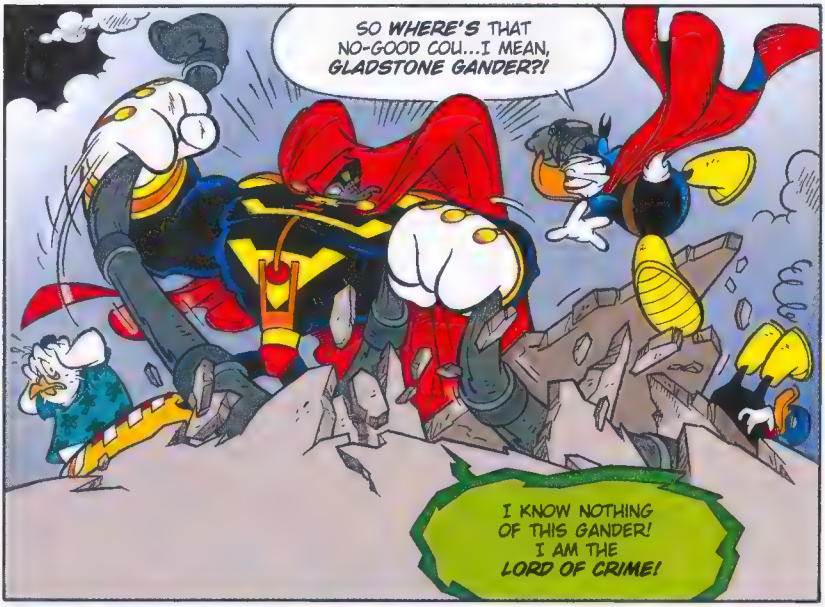
HE'S NOT EVEN MY ENEMY... HEY!
IS THIS ANOTHER TEST OR...

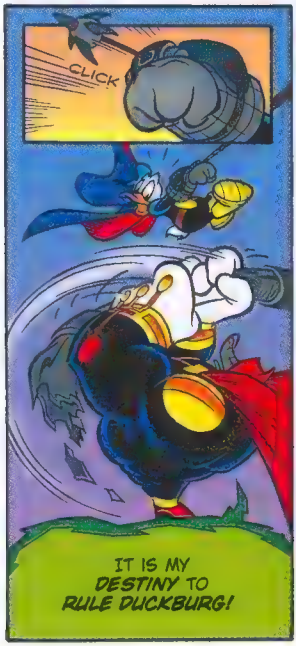

NO! I KNOW THIS FEELING! IT'S BONAFIDE GLADSTONE LUCK!

LET THAT OLD LUNATIC AND MY "ARCH ENEMY" HAVE AT EACH OTHER!
I'M GONE!


NO SIGN OF GLADSTONE, NOR OF MY MYSTERIOUS NEMESIS! IS HE EVEN REAL?
MEET YOUR ARCH ENEMY, DUCK AVENGER!
WHAP
CONK

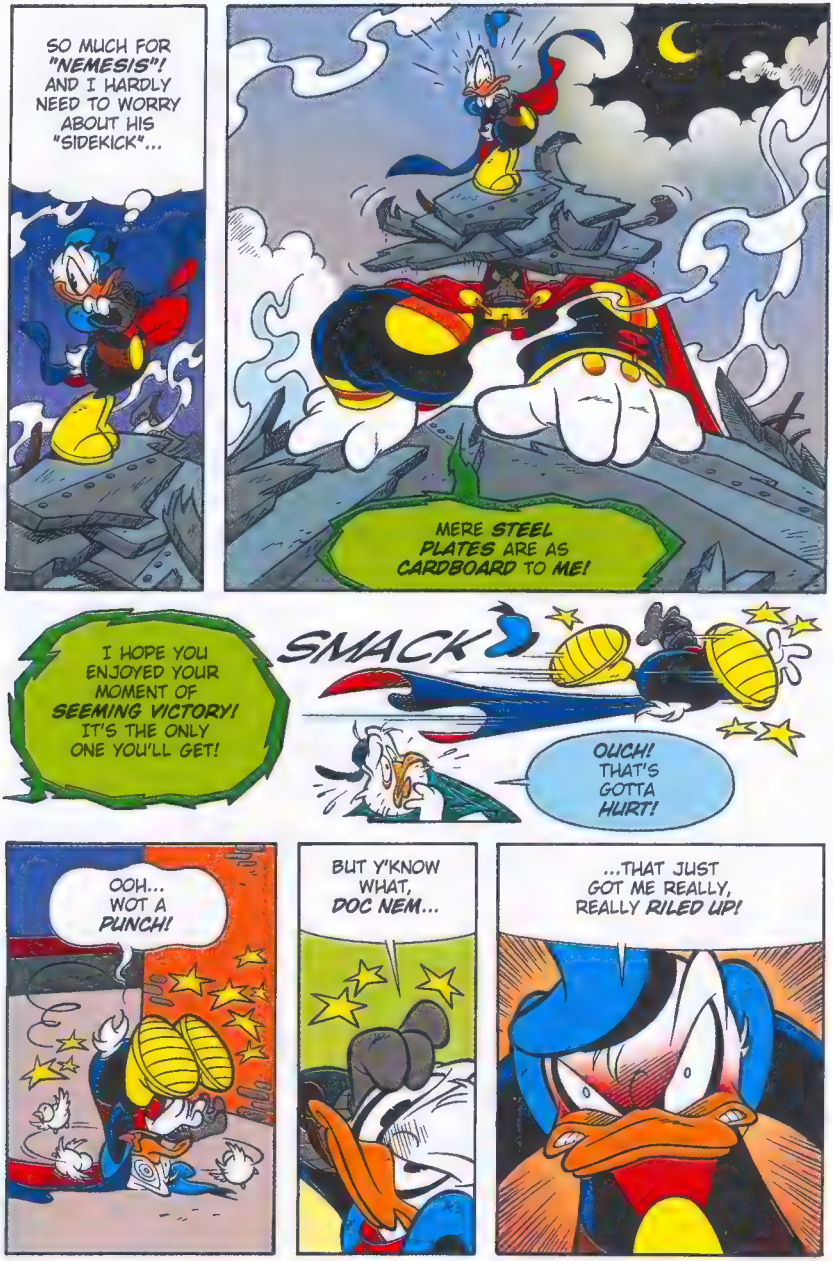
DUCK AVENGER!
I AM DR. NEMEZIZ AND I'M HERE TO DESTROY YOU!
OH YES...AND THIS IS MY UNSAVORY SIDEKICK!
ER... HI!
SO WHO WAS THAT OTHER GUY?
WELL, THIS ONE'S CLEARLY THE REAL DEAL, ARCH ENEMY-WISE!


SO WHERE'S THAT NO-GOOD COU...I MEAN, GLADSTONE GANDER?!
I KNOW NOTHING OF THIS GANDER! I AM THE LORD OF CRIME!


CLICK
IT IS MY DESTINY TO RULE DUCKBURG!

BUT YOU, DUCK AVENGER, ARE THE ONE THING IN MY WAY!
AND SO YOU MUST PERISH!
MAN! HE'S AS STRONG AS HE LOOKS!

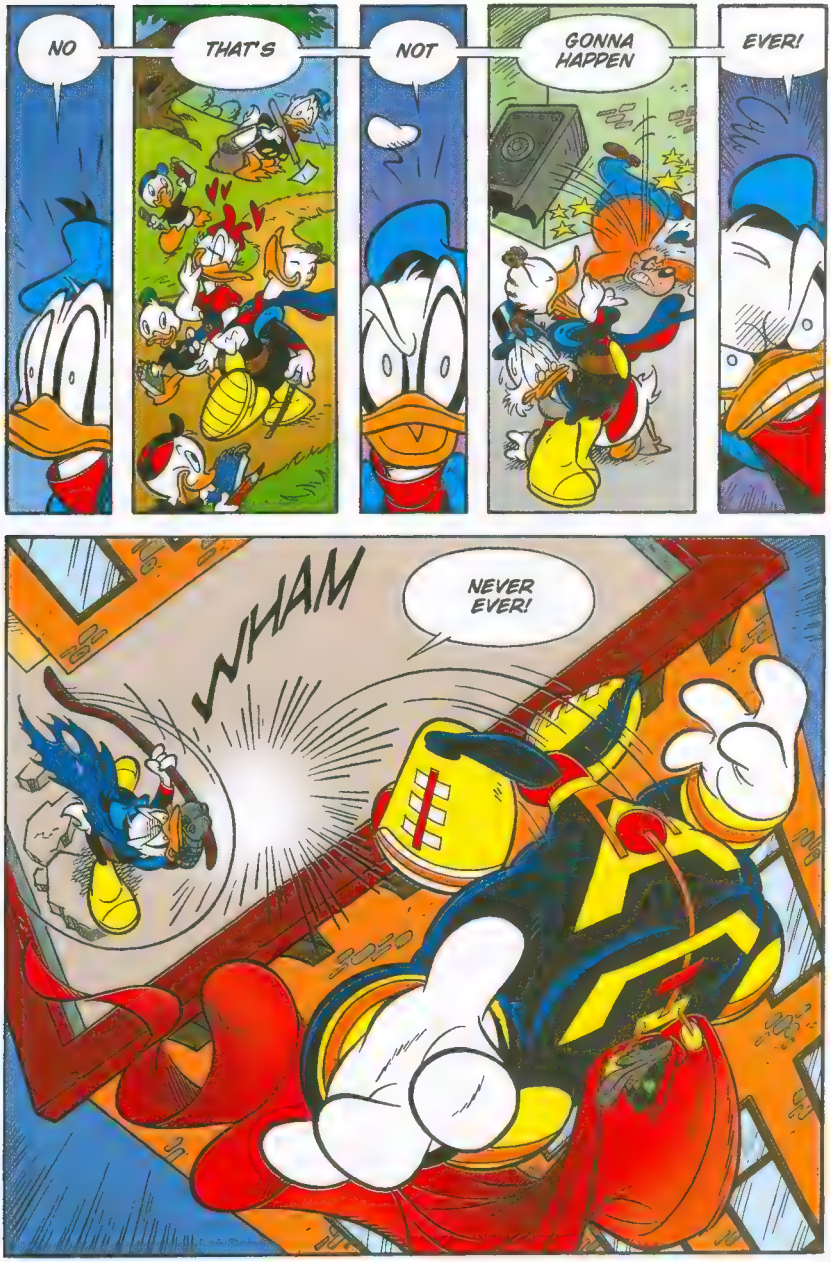
BETTER TAKE HIM ON...
...IN A ROUND-ABOUT FASHION!
RESISTANCE IS FUTILE, DUCK AVENGER!
YOU VILLAINS SURE DO...
...LOVE THAT LINE!
I DUNNO IF GYRO EVER TESTED THIS!
CLICK
WELL, HERE GOES...
KA-BOOM


SO MUCH FOR "NEMESIS"! AND I HARDLY NEED TO WORRY ABOUT HIS "SIDEKICK"...
MERE STEEL PLATES ARE AS CARDBOARD TO ME!
I HOPE YOU ENJOYED YOUR MOMENT OF SEEMING VICTORY! IT'S THE ONLY ONE YOU'LL GET!
SMACK
OUCH! THAT'S GOTTA HURT!
OOH... WOT A PUNCH!
BUT Y'KNOW WHAT, DOC NEM...
...THAT JUST GOT ME REALLY, REALLY RILED UP!

ENOUGH TO GIVE YOU THIS!
ANOTHER GESTURE OF FUTILITY, DUCK AVENGER!
SMALL ARMS ARE USELESS AGAINST MY ARMOR!
"FUTILITY", MY FOOT - OR RATHER, MY BOOT!
BOF
I JUST GOTTA FIND YOUR WEAK SPOT!
YEEOW!! YOWCH!! OUCH!! OUCHIE!!
I HAVE NO WEAK SPOT!
BUT I'M BETTING YOU DO! SHALL WE FIND OUT?

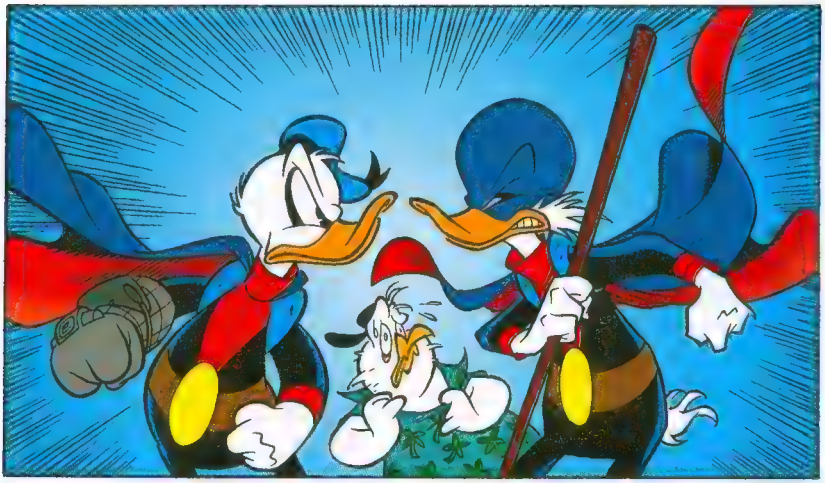
LOOKS LIKE HE FOUND IT!
THIS IS GETTING TEDIOUS!
YOU'RE ONE LUCKY EGOMANIAC, NEMMIE!
YOU GET TO TEST GYRO'S SLEEPING GAS GRENADES!
BOF
BOF
BOF
THEY CAN SEND AN ELEPHANT TO DREAMLAND IN TWO SECONDS!
WHEW! THAT SHOULD DO THE...
CHUNK
WOOPS! DON'T LIKE THE SOUND OF THAT!

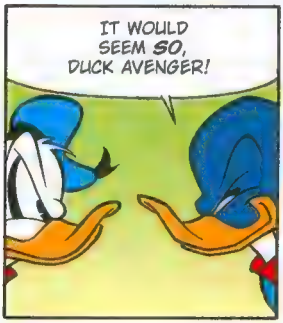
MY ARMOR PROTECTS ME FROM GAS ATTACKS AS WELL AS PROJECTILES!
FISTICUFFS IT IS, THEN! GIMME YOUR BEST SHOT!
YOU CAN... UH...ALWAYS BACK OUT...
WHAMMO
NOW I SHALL FINISH YOU OFF AND CLAIM MY CITY!
BEFORE I DO, I HAVE ONE TASK LEFT! AND THAT IS TO...
...REVEAL YOUR TRUE IDENTITY!

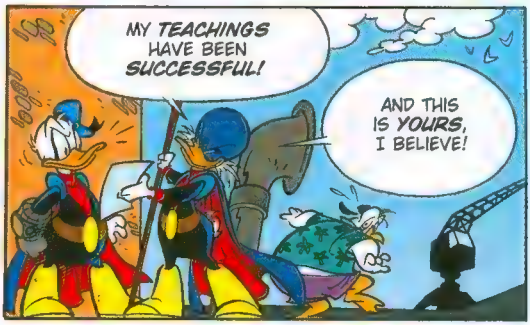

NO
THAT'S
NOT
GONNA HAPPEN
EVER!
WHAM
NEVER EVER!

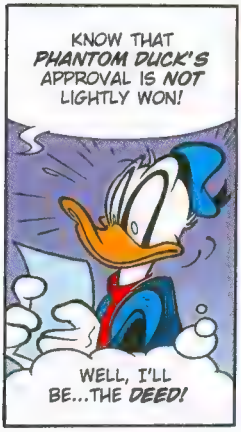
FOOL! A FALL LIKE THIS COULD NEVER HURT...
NO! NOT THA- ARRGH!
ZHAZZ
YAAARR!
DUCKBURG, 4:37 AM. IT'S BEEN A LOOONG NIGHT...
FRIZZZZZZZZ
...BUT FINALLY IT'S OVER... OR IS IT?
I'LL BE BAAAACK!

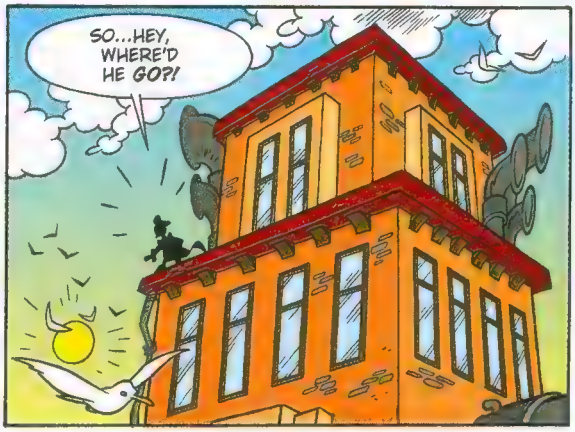
NOT SO FAST!
GAAH!
THE SIDEKICK SHOULD SUFFER HIS MASTER'S FATE!
BUT I WASN'T HIS SIDEKICK!
IT'S JUST WHAT THAT MONSTER CALLED ME! I'M NOT...
YOU'RE FREE TO GO!
BUT...BUT THE OLD GUY SAID...
IN THIS CITY, DUCK AVENGER CALLS THE SHOTS!




IT WOULD SEEM SO, DUCK AVENGER!


MY TEACHINGS HAVE BEEN SUCCESSFUL!
AND THIS IS YOURS, I BELIEVE!


KNOW THAT PHANTOM DUCK'S APPROVAL IS NOT LIGHTLY WON!
WELL, I'LL BE...THE DEED!


SO...HEY, WHERE'D HE GO?!

DUCKBURG, 3:47 PM. THE DAY AFTER...
"DUCKBURG SHIP YARD WRECKED! VANDALS SUSPECTED!"
SO THOSE TWO NUTCASES DID TAKE EACH OTHER OUT!
I AM A LUCKY GANDER!
LUCKY NOT TO BE THE REAL DUCK AVENGER!
I MEAN, THAT GUY HAS TO STAY OUT IN ALL KINDS OF NASTY WEATHER!
SOME MAY HAVE TO DO THAT...
...BUT WHO WOULD WANT TO?!

FINALLY, THEY'RE HERE!

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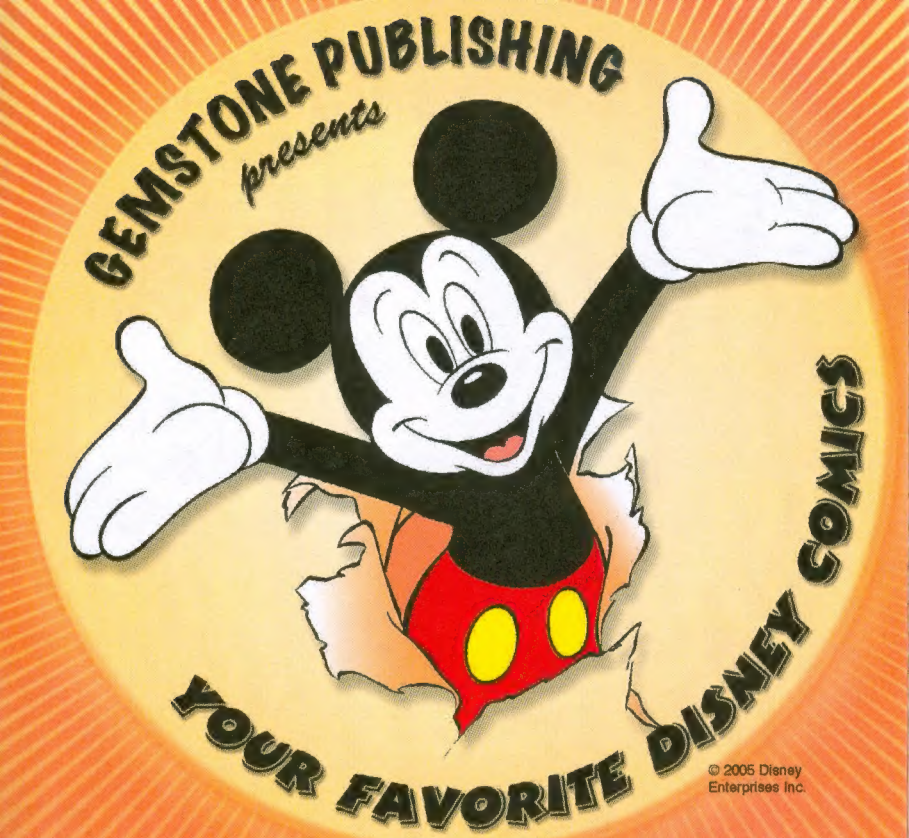

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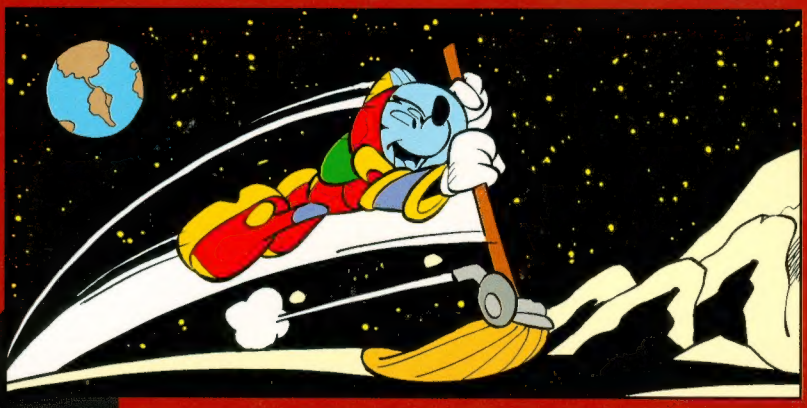

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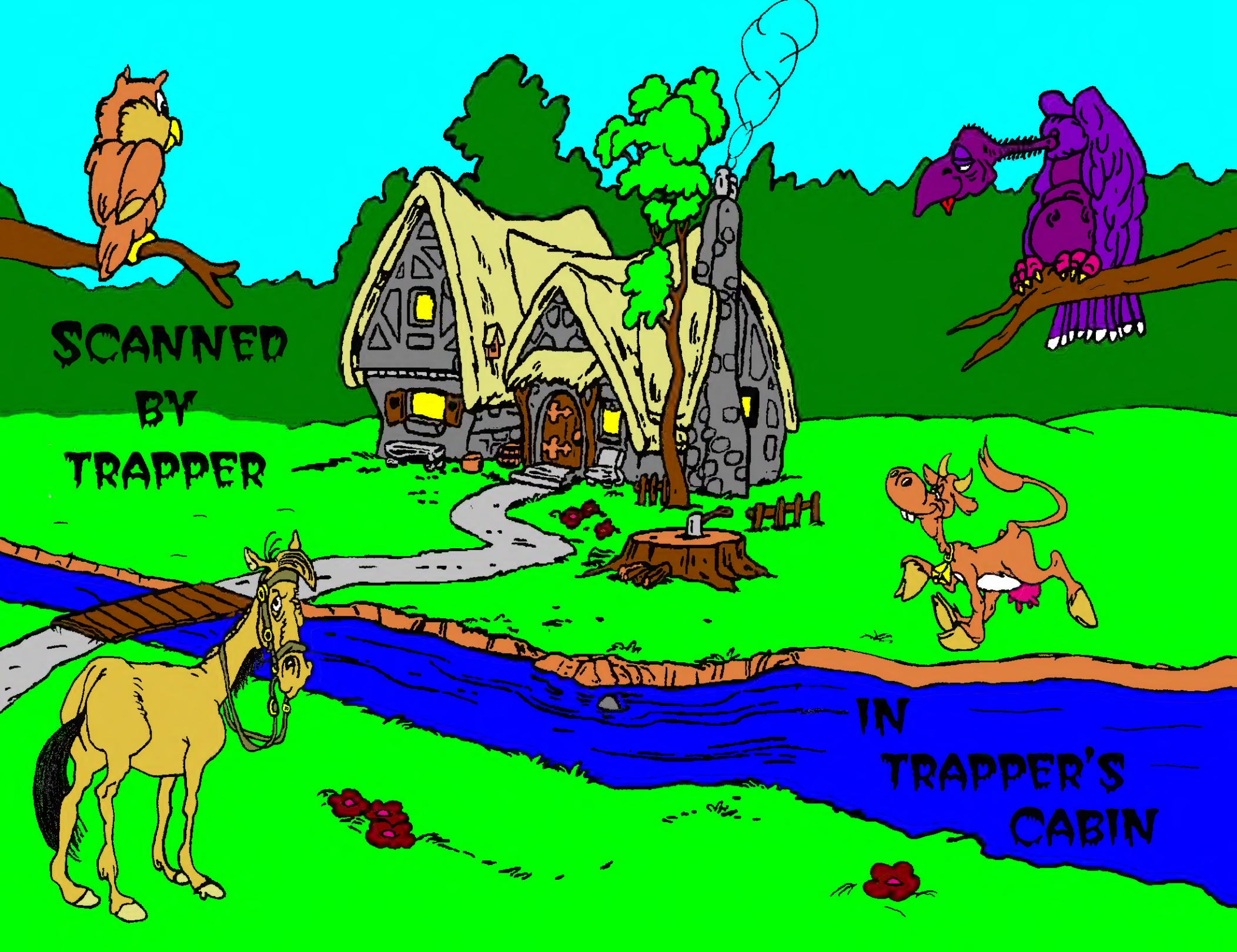
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